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## FRANCE NOW SEEKS DEBT SETTLEMENT WITH BRITAIN FIRST

### Bonar Law Offer to Reduce Total Two-thirds Is Renewed by Churchill.

### OVERTURES HERE DROPPED

### London's Opposition to America Becoming Preferred Creditor Causes Paris to Pause.

### FORMER ATTITUDE RESUMED

### French Will Wait to See How Dawes Plan Works Before Making Commitments Here.

By EDWIN L. JAMES.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—Careful inquiry in official and unofficial circles indicates that as matters now stand the French will not in the near future make any definite proposal to Washington for an arrangement of the French debt to the United States. In the meantime France is going to try to reach terms of settlement of her debt to England.

It had been the intention of the Herriot Government—indeed, Finance Minister Clémentel declared so—to endeavor to reopen negotiations with the American Debt Funding Commission. The tentative overtures of Ambassador Jusserand brought strong evidence that public opinion in Britain would demand a similar simultaneous arrangement of the French debt to that country. This stand of London in opposition to America's becoming a privileged creditor swung the balance between those Frenchmen who favored immediate negotiations and those who favored waiting, on the side of the latter. It is the commonly expressed opinion here now that France must know how the Dawes plan is going to work before she can make definite promises.

**Bonar Law Offer Up Again.**

Winston Churchill, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, has renewed the Bonar Law offer with some changes, and since this can mean a two-thirds reduction of the French debt to England, it is believed to be the intention of the French Government to endeavor to reach a politico-financial settlement with her ally. This will probably not come before six months.

The Temps tonight in its leading article describes the position on which France may be expected to stand for the present.

"In the debate yesterday in the American House of Representatives Mr. Crisp, a member of the Debt Funding Commission, declared that the commission had before it no concrete propositions for consolidation of the war debt contracted by France with the United States," it says. "The discussion was courteous, but very clear as to the wish of the Americans to obtain a settlement of what they consider their due.

"Will the statement of Mr. Crisp that the commission has no proposal and consequently that nothing has been done suffice to calm the English, whose publicists reveal disturbance at the idea that France might make engagements with the United States without also making them with England?

"The Anglo-American controversy on the subject has a tone very disagreeable to us. What we must remember is that the English, like the Americans, turn to France and demand that she settle her debts, which for political as well as financial reasons ought first to be subjected to severe revision.

"What is especially striking in this Anglo-American controversy is that neither the one side nor the other pays the slightest attention to the circumstances in which these debts were contracted, nor to the moral engagements taken at that time. Never has it been better shown that if for many people the war has been forgotten, debts have not.

"For our part we do not forget the aid our allies gave us in the most tragic hours of our history nor the bravery with which they fought at our side. However, if our cause became their cause, it was because a German victory would have constituted a terrible menace to their independent existence, their political position and their material prosperity. It must not be forgotten that for four years France served as the battle ground of the nations and that the honor of being the last defence of civilization and liberty cost her the ruin of her richest departments.

"If the war was an enterprise in which all the Allies put in common the best of their resources and the best of their blood, one must recognize that the sacrifices made by France for the safety of all were greater and more painful than the sacrifices of the others.

**Peace Made in Common Deceptive.**

"On the other hand, the peace made in common was more deceiving because our brothers in arms did not wish to work with us on the morrow of victory and oblige a faithless debtor to pay.

"That is the consideration we are obliged to recall, since our creditors across the Channel and across the Atlantic seem to wish to forget it when they demand to be paid by us before the debts of those we fought together have been acquitted.

"We are not bitter. We have no sentiment of rancor, but in all frankness we put to our friends, whose sincerity and spirit of justice we have never doubted, this question: Is it logical, is it admissible, that they try to place the settlement of interallied debts ahead of payment of reparations and demand of France definite engagements before she

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### *62 Below Zero in Alberta; 60 Above in Philadelphia*

CHICAGO, Dec. 17 (Associated Press).—The arrival today of the most severe weather of the season in the Northwest and West was responsible, directly or indirectly for the loss of upward of a dozen lives, while in the Rocky Mountain region huge snow drifts seriously delayed trains and interrupted wire communications.

The entire Northwest, including Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Iowa, Western Wisconsin and Canada were in the grip of sub-zero weather. Red Deer in Alberta with 62 degrees below zero was conceded to be the coldest spot on the continent.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 17.—Philadelphians experienced today the warmest Dec. 17 in the history of the Weather Bureau, with the temperature reaching 60 degrees at 8 P. M.

## BANK THIEF CAUGHT IN 14-YEAR CHASE

### Clifford S. Heller of Mount Holly Arrested in Detroit, Where He Has Prosperous Business.

### WANTED FOR $18,510 THEFT

### His Trail Had Led Across Oceans and Continents and Apparently Had Been Lost.

Nearly every one in Mount Holly, N. J., had forgotten that the Mount Holly National Bank was robbed more than fourteen years ago by Clifford S. Heller, its assistant cashier, who disappeared with $18,510 from a vault with the lock of which he had tampered in such a way that it took experts two days to open it.

Heller deserted his wife and two children. Mrs. Heller and the couple's daughter have since died. The bank was reimbursed by a bonding company and the Industrial Building and Loan Association, of which he was Treasurer, although it had him indicted for taking $3,800 of its money when he fled, had long since abandoned any expectation of seeing him brought to trial.

For a time the hunt for Heller was pressed all over the world. Detectives trailed him to Canada, then to Liverpool, on to Munich, then back to the United States and back and forth across this continent. Finally that active search was dropped—or so the few whose interest kept up supposed—the fugitive having eluded his pursuers time after time.

Yesterday Mount Holly got word that it would see Heller again. No one knows just how, but a prosperous, hard-working and apparently honest and upright citizen of Detroit suddenly saw the mask stripped from his identity when three detectives walked into the office where for years he had done business as L. W. Smith, dealer in iron and steel, called him Heller, wrung a confession of his identity from him and led him off to a cell.

**Heller's Associates Amazed.**

Heller's arrest was effected by two Detroit detectives and Thomas Wilcox of the Bureau of Investigation of the Department of Justice. They will divide the $500 reward offered for his capture. They refused to tell how they picked up a trail so long cold.

According to word that reached Mount Holly after Heller's arrest, his sudden unmasking was received with amazement by his associates. Office associates who shared his suite, but were not actually in business with him, refused to believe that he was a criminal until they had made inquiry at Police Headquarters. Even then they insisted "Smith" was the last than they would have suspected of dishonesty, because he was generous, kindly and apparently open and aboveboard in all his dealings.

Once the law had found him out, Heller, now 52 years old, made a clean breast of it. He said he had gone straight for years, love having worked his reformation. He married a Detroit girl of good family and maintained her in a nice home at 393 Phillip Avenue. He told her nothing of his past. When detectives invaded his office at 492 Wayne Street, his wife was downtown shopping. She made several telephone inquiries for her husband, but did not learn until after he had been locked up that he had been seized as

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## SAY RICH AMERICAN PLOTTED ROBBERY OF LUDLOW JEWELS

### One London Newspaper Reports Chicago Millionaire Who Hired Burglars Died After Theft.

### THEN THEY RETURNED LOOT

### New York Collector Is Reputed by Another Story to Have Inspired Crime.

### MYSTERY OVER RECOVERY

### Scotland Yard Admits Antiques Were Given Up Last July—£5,000 Reward Paid.

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LONDON, Dec. 17.—Several extraordinary stories are published today concerning the theft and return of Lady Ludlow's collection of jewelry and antiques which was mysteriously stolen last June from Bath House in Piccadilly and as mysteriously sent back to London at a date now apparently in doubt. Scotland Yard announced yesterday that the collection had been restored.

The Evening News and The Star both suggest that the antiques were stolen by crooks in the pay of a wealthy American curio collector who died just as his hired burglars got the "swag" to New York and they were forced to return them, as they were unsalable in the market and would lose most of their value if they were broken up.

**Crime Laid to American Collector.**

The newspapers fail, however, to agree in their picturesque yarn. The News describes the American instigator of the crime as an aged millionaire with a palatial home in Chicago who had vainly tried to buy the jewels, but was able to give his housebreaking gang the minutest directions as to the layout of Bath House, Picadilly, where the collection was kept. The Star thinks he was a New York antique dealer who made a trip to England in April of last year and seems to have been after even more ambitious game, for it is recorded that he made notes of almost every collection in Scotland and England, from the crown jewels to ancient stones in the British Museum. The Star also gives this New Yorker's home as "the west coast of America."

Both newspapers agree that the cracksmen selected for purloining the jewels came from the United States, but The News has more details. It relates how the millionaire, when he was last inspecting the collection at Bath House, hung so long and so lovingly over it that he had to be ordered away, and it asserts that the burglars spent a pleasant nine days in London looking over their objective before they brought off their coup on June 11.

**Burglars Said to Have Had Yacht.**

They took, it is agreed, about an hour and a half on the job and had an automobile awaiting them in a near-by street. In this they ran down to Dover, where they boarded a steam yacht to run them over to France. After that it was easy for them to catch a liner at Cherbourg to carry them to New York.

Here The News gets picturesque again. It describes how the burglars rushed to a telephone and called up Chicago. They announced their success only to be told by a grief-stricken butler that his master and their employer had passed away just an hour and a half before. Consequently, both newspapers agree, the burglars, rather than destroy such beautiful works of art, brought them back to England and started negotiations to see how much of the £5,000 reward offered for them they could collect.

Unfortunately at the office of Sir Charles Russell, solicitor to Lady Ludlow, it was said that nothing had been heard before this afternoon of this story.

The Evening Standard, meanwhile, is much more prosaic. It announces on Sir Charles's authority, that the jewels were traced through the instrumentality of Scotland Yard. It goes on:

**Says £7,000 Was Paid for Return.**

"The robbery was committed by three professional burglars. They gained entrance by means of another house, the back of which adjoins Bath House. Their intention was to steal

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## *Brindell Agrees to Drop Union Activity; Parole Made Conditional on Keeping Pledge*

Robert P. Brindell surrendered last night to public demands that before being released from Great Meadow Prison at Comstock he should stipulate he would not again become an official of a union.

James L. Long, the State Superintendent of Prisons and one of the three members of the State Board of Parole, sent word to Sing Sing that Brindell had appeared voluntarily before the board and made a conditional surrender. He reserved the right to reapply to the board, if he ever desired to return to labor activities beyond being merely a member of a union.

The board issued this statement through Chairman George W. Benham: "At the regular meeting of the Board of Parole Dec. 17, 1924, Robert P. Brindell made request to the board that he should be granted another hearing for further explanation as to the rules covering his employment and conduct while on parole. Brindell stated to the board that it was not his intention or desire to again enter any official position, whether as an officer or business representative of any trade union.

"He did request that in the event of its becoming necessary for him to engage in any trade that he be permitted to join such local union as would affect the trade in which he might engage, as it was a necessary prerequisite to his securing employment in which he was capable of working.

"Brindell further stated that while he made no definite arrangement for employment owing to the uncertainty of his status in relation to the courts and the authorities, it was his intention to go to his wife and family as soon as possible until he could make arrangements for his future.

"He was advised by the board that the rules provided that he could not engage in any position the duties of which were antagonistic to a proper observance of the law and the rights of others; that any employment in which he might engage must first be approved by his parole custodian under direction of the Board of Parole, and that while he would not be deprived of the right to engage in such legitimate work for which he was fitted, the board rules would not permit him to engage either as an officer or business representative of any trade union or similar organization while on parole and a violation of this rule would be treated as a violation of parole.

"Any proposed employment in which he desires to engage should be taken up with his parole custodian, the Rev. R. F. Keegan, who is in charge of the Catholic Protective Society of New York City."

Mr. Benham was asked after issuing the formal statement if Brindell could become an office-holder in a union later by merely getting the consent of some parole custodian or whether he would have to get permission of the board. He asserted that only the board could grant such a permission.

## BRIBE CHARGE MADE ON POSTAL PAY BILL

### President Is Moving for Arrest of Senate Employe, Accused of Taking Money.

### LABOR UNION IS INVOLVED

### Senate Agrees to Take Up Veto of the Salary Increase Measure Jan. 6.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Unanimous agreement was reached in the Senate today to begin on Jan. 6 the consideration of President Coolidge's veto of the bill increasing the salaries of postal employes. Discussion is to continue until a vote is taken, the agreement specifying that the remarks of each Senator should be limited to ten minutes after the first day.

Senators learned today that at the instance of President Coolidge an alleged scandal in connection with the passage of the salary increase bill was to be disclosed. The disclosure, it was stated, would come with the arrest of the Senate employe on the charge that he had accepted a bribe to assist in procuring the passage of the salary increase measure. Until the arrest is made the name of the accused will be withheld.

Information presented personally to President Coolidge caused him to take action with a view to exposure of the alleged effort to employ questionable methods to pass the bill. Within the last twenty-four hours he has sent for several Senators to give them this information and to devise ways and means of dealing with the situation.

The story told today was that the President had been told that a Senate employe had entered into an agreement with a labor union which favored salary increases for postal employes to pay him $10,000 to use the influence of his position to have the Senate pass the salary increase bill. The labor union, it was asserted, paid the Senate employe $2,600 and later decided that his services had not been sufficiently valuable to justify paying him the full amount. Thereupon, it was asserted, the employe wrote a letter threatening to defeat the bill, which had not at that time been finally acted upon.

**Advised to Call on Police.**

In his conferences with Senators over this information, President Coolidge suggested that a Senate committee undertake an investigation of the allegations, but the President was advised by the Senators against that course. They held that the more direct way would be to place the charges in the hands of the police authorities, with a view to prosecution in the criminal courts. With this the President agreed, and the arrest of the Senate employe is expected to follow soon.

The unanimous agreement reached by the Senate to take up the President's veto of the salary increase bill on Jan. 6 was arranged by Senator Reed of Missouri. When the terms of the agreement were presented to the Senate there was no objection. Senator Edge of New Jersey, in charge of the bill, said he was in sympathy with the agreement, and Senator Robinson of Arkansas, Democratic floor leader, agreed with him.

The agreement provides that when the veto message is taken up debate on the first day shall be limited to one hour for each Senator who desires to speak, and that on the next and all subsequent days each Senator shall not be permitted to speak for more than ten minutes, this limitation to continue until the motion to override the President's veto is voted upon.

The agreement also includes permission to any Senator to move to recommit the bill to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads. Senator Sterling of South Dakota, Chairman of that committee, who is sponsor for the compromise measure, which combines with the proposed salary increases provision for raising additional revenues to meet them from increased rates on newspapers, parcel post and other classes of mail, has given notice that he will move to recommit the vetoed bill.

**President Confers on Veto.**

President Coolidge took further steps today to aid the Administration Senators who are opposed to the passage of the postal pay bill over his veto. In response to White House requests several

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## COOLIDGE ATTACKED ON MUSCLE SHOALS

### Norris in Senate Charges That President Would Give Over Property to Wall Street.

### TEAPOT DOME A "PINHEAD"

### Underwood Defends President's Support of His Bill for Private Operation of the Plant.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Not since Calvin Coolidge became President has he been subjected to such bitter criticism as was directed against him today in the Senate by Senator Norris of Nebraska, who said the President was steering the Muscle Shoals property into Wall Street —"a concession so great that it will make Teapot Dome look like a pinhead."

He added that "one of the greatest inheritances of unborn generations of American citizens," will be deeded over to the water power trust. Senator Curtis, the Republican floor leader, was described as the boatswain of the Wall Street-bound ship, while most of the crew, Senator Norris exclaimed, is made up of "Coolidge Republican Senators."

Senator Norris also asserted that "Doheny and Sinclair will soon realize that they were only pikers."

He named the General Electric Company as the backbone of "the water power trust," which, unless curbed, he insisted, will some day enslave the American people.

Senator Underwood was quick to come to the defense of the President. The Alabama Senator said he did not object to the charge that he was "on board the ship" and working under the commands of the President, and he was glad he could say that Mr. Coolidge and himself were in agreement. So far as he was aware, the President, Senator Underwood declared, "has not, as the Senator from Nebraska charges, violated the Constitution." Instead of being damned, the President, added Senator Underwood, should, as a matter of plain justice, be commended for his stand in trying to bring to an end the years long struggle to solve the Muscle Shoals problem.

**Says Norris Is a Populist.**

"Of course, I understand," Senator Underwood said, and he smiled at the radicals, "the school of thought to which the Senator from Nebraska belongs and he is entitled to his viewpoint. I do not criticize them. He belongs to a school of thought that did not have its birth in the Republican Party, and which is contrary to the fundamental principles of the Democratic Party. Their ideals were born on the Western plains when an organization sprang up that called itself the Populist Party. The Senator belongs to that school of thought. It is his right, but I do not agree with him."

There was an unusually large attendance of Senators when Senator Norris was recognized. Senator Underwood, who had an inkling of what was coming, switched his position so as to face the Nebraskan. It was understood that any defense of the President would come from Senator Underwood, and the President's party followers were entirely willing to trust that duty to the Alabama Democrat.

Senator Norris began with the assertion that several Senators who voted yesterday with Senator Underwood against the Smith amendment would vote against the Underwood bill when it came to a vote. He charged that a combination of powerful forces was operating against the bill as reported from the Committee on Agriculture, which called for practical Government operation of the Muscle Shoals plant.

**Says "Skids Have Been Greased."**

"I realize," Senator Norris continued, "as fully as any one can, and have all the time realized, the wonderful combination of forces arrayed against the committee bill. I know that the skids have been greased and the machinery oiled of the great steam roller, with the idea of putting the substitute across, or at least smothering the life out of the committee bill. I realize the power and influence of the Executive over legislation, either in this body or in the House.

"I realize that such influence has not been confined to any one President or any one Administration, or to the Presidents of any one political party. And while I believe it is contrary to the fundamental principle upon which our Government was organized and is sup-

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## NAVY BOARD TO SEEK 'LEAK' TO SHEARER OF SECRET LETTERS

### Secretary Wilbur Orders Investigation Here of Publication of Confidential Information.

### NAVAL COLLEGE IS INVOLVED

### Officers Were Quoted on Results of War Games and on a "Spy" With the British Fleet.

### COOLIDGE HALTS CONGRESS

### His Opposition Blocks Moves for a Full Inquiry Into American Naval Defense.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Secretary Wilbur announced today the institution of a special court of inquiry to investigate the "leak" involving the publication of extracts from letters purporting to have been written by officers of the Naval War College at Newport, R. I., disclosing confidential information relative to naval affairs. The court of inquiry will meet immediately at the New York Navy Yard for the purpose of ascertaining how the letters, which were not intended for publication, found their way into the columns of newspapers.

Some of these letters were furnished to the press by William B. Shearer, who has been acting in the capacity of a naval expert for Senator King of Utah and actively urging an investigation of the whole naval establishment.

Captain Orton P. Jackson, former Director of Naval Communications at Washington and now Commandant of the Naval Training Station at Newport, has been selected to act as Chairman of the court of inquiry. The other members will be Captain André M. Proctor, former Commander of the battleship Texas, now President of the General Court-Martial Board for the Third Naval District; Captain George L. P. Stone, commanding the receiving ship at New York, and Lieut. Commander Spencer S. Lewis, who is attached to the Third Naval District.

**One Letter by Captain Osterhaus.**

In advance of the sessions of the court Secretary Wilbur did not care to reveal details of its work, but he did permit it to become known that one of the letters, from which extracts were printed, was written by Captain Hugo W. Osterhaus, former commander of the Prometheus, who is taking a postgraduate course at the Naval War College. Captain Osterhaus is one of the better known officers of the navy and a son of Rear Admiral Hugo Osterhaus, retired. One of the letters of Captain Osterhaus was written to Captain Robert L. Berry, the naval officer in charge of the naval recruiting district at New York City.

Secretary Wilbur declared that he hoped his action would not be interpreted as meaning that the Navy Department has any desire to "muzzle" navy officers or to interfere with their discussion of naval affairs. He feels that the publication of the letters in question, letters that were not written for publication, was a serious matter, especially as one of the letters contained data relative to a war game played at the Naval War College, which data were made public in one of Shearer's statements, and another of the letters contained the statement that an enlisted man of the American Navy was on board a battleship of the British fleet during the naval manoeuvres.

The plain inference from this letter is that the American Navy had one of its enlisted men as a "spy" on board the British warship. There is no admission by the Navy Department that we did have such a "spy" in the British fleet, but even if that were a fact it is felt that it was hardly proper for an American naval officer to disclose such information. So far as the confidential war games played with theoretical fleets at the Naval War College are concerned, it is felt that data of this nature

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### *Boom in Wall Street Nets State $1,332,602 in Taxes*

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 17.—The recent heavy trading in the stock markets netted the State of New York $1,332,602.73 in stock transfer taxes for November, it was announced today by John F. Gilchrist, President of the State Tax Commission. The total for November was said to be the largest since October, 1919, when the State collected $1,630,300.54, as trading reflected rehabilitation after war depression.

Stocks carrying a tax of $2 made up the largest sales, according to Mr. Gilchrist, while sales of stocks carrying $20 stamps were the lowest. It was explained that under the tax each share of stock transferred, sold or assigned is subject to tax of 2 cents per $100 of par value. On stock of no par value the tax is 2 cents a share.

The tax collected so far this fiscal year totals $4,005,818.94, Mr. Gilchrist said, an increase of $1,563,403.54 over a similar period last year.

## THOUSANDS HERE PAY TRIBUTE TO GOMPERS

### Reverent Throngs Line Streets as Coffin Is Borne From Station to the Elks Club.

### 15,000 VIEW BODY THERE

### Carloads of Floral Pieces—Workers to Halt to Mark Funeral Today.

The body of Samuel Gompers, son of Dutch Jewish parents, born 74 years ago in Whitechapel, London, was brought to New York from Washington yesterday. Lying in state in the Lodge Room of the Elks Club, 108 West Forty-third Street, the body of America's noted labor leader, once a penniless immigrant lad, was viewed by thousands, working men and women, shopkeepers, merchants, policemen, firemen, army and navy officers, soldiers and sailors, a fair cross-section of American life, joined in the tribute.

Less than two miles from the East Eighth Street house where the crusading young Gompers rolled cigars when he could spare the time from the leadership of the then puny American Federation of Labor lay the dead Gompers. All day yesterday and all night a constant stream of humanity tiptoed softly past the bier. A lingering earnest look, a reverent bow and the mourner passed on.

Flowers sent by labor unions and individuals from every part of the United States, from Mexico, Canada, England and other European countries served to make a tribute that was said to be unprecedented in the history of honors accorded notable men on their demise. The flowers had accumulated on the funeral train from San Antonio to Washington and then to New York, until they filled an entire car. Sufficient floral tributes arrived at the Elks Club yesterday to fill another car and it became impossible to find room for them. Two carloads of flowers were sent to Sleepy Hollow Cemetery where the labor leader is to be buried. Practically every international union, State Federation, central labor body and many local unions were represented in the floral array.

At 9 o'clock this morning millions interested in the passing of one of America's distinguished citizens will have an opportunity to hear the funeral service conducted by Rabbi Stephen S. Wise and the farewell eulogy of labor pronounced by James Duncan, First Vice President of the American Federation of Labor. From the Elks' Club the services will be broadcast by three stations—WEAF, New York; WCAP, Washington, and WJAR, Providence.

**Factories to Be Hushed.**

The Elks' service will follow and music will be furnished by a quartet, soloist and organ. Interment will be in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, Tarrytown.

Hugh Frayne, General Organizer in New York of the A. F. of L., announced that word had been flashed through the United States for workshops to be

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## CITY LOST MILLIONS BY HYLAN'S SUBWAY DELAY, SAYS M'ANENY

### Failure to Finish 14th Street Line Is Charged Directly to the Mayor.

### CANAL ST. JAM THE RESULT

### Commissioner, Testifying in Transit Inquiry, Calls Congestion There "Dangerous."

### BLAME FOR WRECKS DENIED

### Witness Tells of Commission's Inspection Work and Its Efforts to Safeguard the Public.

George McAneny, Chairman of the Transit Commission, charged yesterday that Mayor Hylan and his associates on the Board of Estimate were directly responsible for the long-continued delay in the construction of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern line. This, he said, had caused a loss to the city of $1,500,000, in addition to interest charges of $2,000 a day on a virtually completed, but idle, subway, and had resulted in the dangerous congestion at Canal Street. Mr. McAneny was testifying before Justice John V. McAvoy in the transit investigation which is being held in the assembly room of the New York City Bar Association.

Mr. McAneny said that the Board of Estimate failed to approve a recommendation of the commission's engineers for an arrangement with the Degnon Contracting Company, which became involved in financial difficulties through war-time conditions, with the result that the work was finished by another contractor at a far higher price than under the proposed arrangement and with a delay in the completion of that part of the subway of two years and one month.

Mr. McAneny described this as "the first embarrassing occurrence" with the Hylan Board of Estimate in connection with subway construction. He declared that the Transit Commission also failed to get the approval of the board for contracts for installing the tracks and finishing the stations in the subway part of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern line so that the tunnel might be put to use, and estimated the total amount of delay caused by the board on the part of the line between Sixth Avenue, Manhattan and Meserole Streets, Brooklyn, operation of which began on June 30 last, as four and one-half years.

**Elevated Not Begun Yet.**

The witness also testified that work on that part of the line from Meserole Street to East New York, projected originally as an elevated structure, had not begun yet, eleven years and eight months after the signing of the dual subway contracts which obligated the city to build the line and eight years after construction of the other part of it began. Part of the delay, he said, was caused by a deadlock between the Board of Estimate and Lindley M. Garrison, former receiver of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, who refused to agree to a modification of the contract to permit the line to be built as a subway. Mr. McAneny added that the management of the reorganized Brooklyn-Manhattan Corporation agreed to the modification, but that the signing of the agreement had failed so far because the B. M. T. officials, willing to sign the standardized form suggested by the commission, would not sign an agreement drawn by the Corporation Counsel on the ground that it impaired the company's rights in its $30,000,000 suit against the city, whose alleged failure to construct the Fourteenth Street-Eastern line constitutes one of the company's main points.

Most of the rest of the testimony of Mr. McAneny, who was the only witness examined, was in reply to the charges made against him and his fellow Transit Commissioners by the Board of Estimate. Mr. McAneny explained at length the method of inspection used by the commission to determine whether the transit companies kept their tracks and track equipment up to standard and denied the charge that the lines had been in a dangerous condition, as alleged in the charges.

**Takes Up the Garrison Fees.**

He disclaimed any responsibility on the part of the commission for fixing the fees of Lindley M. Garrison, receiver of the old Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, and declared that this was entirely within the discretion of Judge Julius M. Mayer, then on the United States Circuit Court bench. Mr. McAneny added that while he had had nothing to say about the size of the fees allowed, he considered them normal in comparison with those allowed in other cases, and asserted that Judge Mayer was entitled to the major share of the credit for having performed a public service in the reorganization of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company as well as that of the B. R. T.

Mr. McAneny also denied the charge that the commission had been extravagant in its expenditures or that it had employed "favorites" in well paid positions. He said that, except for a few of the more important positions, the Transit Commission had merely taken over the employes of its predecessors and that many of these employes returned on July 1 last to the city Board of Transportation. Mr. McAneny asserted that the Board of Transportation had asked for an appropriation of $1,902,651 for the first six months of 1925, or at the rate of $3,805,303 for the year. He added that this indicated an increased outlay by the city board of $1,840,000 for the transit construction functions previously exercised by the Transit Commission. Mr. McAneny added that he did not think that this indicated extravagance by the commission.

In addition, Mr. McAneny denied further specifications in the charges which

## *Stresemann Fails to Form a Government, As Catholics Distrust the Nationalists*

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BERLIN, Dec. 17.—Following President Ebert's request to him that he try to form a new Cabinet, Foreign Minister Stresemann tonight told the President that his efforts to form one had been in vain and that Ebert must ask somebody else to take up the task.

Stresemann's failure is caused by the adamant stand of the Centrists (Catholics), who stuck to their refusal to participate in a Government including the Nationalists.

Stresemann's throwing up of the task of forming a Government came after he had conferred with Chancellor Marx, who told him emphatically that the Centrist Party would not back his efforts.

This doubtless means that the next Government will be composed, like the present one, of Democrats, Centrists and People's Party—in other words, it will be a coalition of the middle parties. Thus, those who have been quoting, apropos of Germany's latest crisis, the old French proverb, "The more things change the more they remain the same," are justified.

Late tonight it became known that President Ebert intended to ask some Centrist leader to undertake to form a new Government.

The Centrists based their refusal to sanction a Government including the Nationalists primarily on considerations of foreign policy. In other words, they did not believe that Nationalists would work honestly toward executing the Dawes plan if they once got in power, and feared that they would ruin the friendlier international atmosphere engendered during the past few months since the effects of the London compact have begun to make themselves felt.

Stresemann's People's Party still clings to the idea of getting the Nationalists into the Government—at least according to an official utterance this afternoon of its Reichstag delegation. However, in view of the firm Centrist stand, there is good reason for believing that the People's Party will eat humble pie and join ranks with the other two middle parties in case the new Government is composed of the same coalition as before.

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## *Opera Club Denies Diversion of Its Funds To Entertain Grand Duchess on Visit Here*

An aftermath of the visit of the Grand Duchess Victoria Feodorovna, wife of the Grand Duke Cyril of Russia, to this country came yesterday when the Monday Opera Supper Club, which had been her host for the visit, issued a statement denying that any of the funds of the organization had been expended in connection with the visit. The statement is as follows:

"The following official statement addressed to the members of the Monday Opera Club will appear in the Opera Club Magazine, the official organ of the club, next Monday, and is to be regarded as final and conclusive:

"'To the members: In order that there may be no misunderstanding with regard to the recent visit of the Grand Duchess Cyril of Russia and its relation to the Monday Opera Supper Club, I desire to state that no club money has been or will be used to defray any expenses whatever in connection with this visit, nor was it ever intended that the money should be so used.

"'ETHAN ALLEN, Treasurer.'"

An official of the organization, on condition that his name should not be used, explained what was behind the statement.

"There has been some misunderstanding among the members of the Monday Opera Supper Club over the visit of the Grand Duchess," he said. "The function of this organization has been to collect funds for starving Russia and the accent has always been on economical management and the full use of the money collected for the purpose for which it was intended.

"When the Grand Duchess came here the impression prevailed that the funds of the organization had been used to defray the expense of entertaining her and her suite. Some criticism arose over this misconception. The statement was therefore prepared, signed with the treasurer's name, for insertion in the club publication, where it would reach the members. It was then decided to give it to the newspapers."

When a member of the organization was asked whether it would be proper to say that the expenses of the Duchess's trip had been defrayed by individual members of the society out of their own pockets this reply was made:

"It would not be wise to go too far into that. We cannot say how much may be owing to the courtesy of the French Line and the Hotel Waldorf-Astoria."

The idea that the Grand Duchess's entertainment was at least partly supplied by the "courtesy" of the steamship company and the hotel was emphatically denied by representatives of each.

"I cannot believe any such statement was made as it is absolutely without foundation," said Arthur H. Henderson, general passenger agent of the French Line. Oscar Tchirky of the Waldorf was equally emphatic in denying the hotel had furnished free hotel accommodation.

A report received currency yesterday that the Monday Opera Supper Club contemplated inviting to this country shortly a member of the British nobility as its guest. Mrs. Henry P. Loomis, who had been prominent in making arrangements for the visit of the Grand Duchess, was sought to comment on this report but could not be reached. Other members of the organization, however, expressed themselves as sure there was no truth in the report.

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alleged culpability on the part of the commission for accidents. He commented on the absence of any specifications in the charge that the commission had permitted the companies to make excess charges against their operating accounts and told in detail of the work of the commission's accounting bureau in checking up the companies' accounting figures.

**Other Charges Left to Harkness.**

Questions concerning the charges of alleged diversion of funds in the B. R. T. reorganization and in connection with allowances for depreciation, Mr. McAneny referred to Transit Commissioner Le Roy T. Harkness, who, he said, was more familiar with those matters than he. It is expected that Mr. Harkness will be the next witness after Mr. McAneny, and that John H. Delaney, Chairman of the Board of Transportation, who was noted in the record as appearing with Edmund L. Mooney, special counsel. Mr. Mooney was not present in person, but William A. De Forest, lawyer member of the board, designated to represent it at the hearings, said that Mr. Mooney was otherwise engaged and that his absence was without significance.

In discussing the series of delays in the construction of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern line, Mr. McAneny said that the original plans, as contained in the dual contracts, provided for a subway from Sixth Avenue, Manhattan, to Meserole Street, Brooklyn, and an elevated structure from Meserole Street to connect with B. M. T. elevated lines at East New York. He said the first construction contracts were let in 1916 in five sections, that for the tunnel under the East River six months earlier than the others, with the expectation of bringing about their completion at about the same time. He added that the contracts aggregated around $15,000,000.

**A Strike the First Difficulty.**

"The work was well under way when it was affected in some degree by the war and its consequences," Mr. McAneny said. "A strike started. The contractors negotiated with the then Public Service Commission and, through the commission, with the Board of Estimate to secure some basis upon which the contractors could be kept at work. They claimed that they were promised that if they would settle the strike and went ahead the public authorities would so modify the contracts as to protect them. Later on, I believe, there was some difference of understanding, and they never have been protected and are all in court. But, with the exception of the Dongan Company, on Section 2, they did go ahead and complete the work.

"The contract price on that section was $1,972,349. The company was being forced to the wall practically because of conditions. It made a proposition to the Public Service Commission, however, that it would finish the work at cost; that is, rather than abandon the contract and take any consequences, they would go ahead and finish at cost the remaining sections.

"The commission, through its engineering corps, made a careful investigation of conditions and recommended to the Board of Estimate the execution of a modified agreement with the Degnon Company that, according to the commission's estimates, would have involved an additional expenditure by the city of $626,000; that is, additional to the original $1,000,000 and sufficient under the agreement to satisfy the company in its bill upon a cost basis. The recommendation was not approved by the Board of Estimate and a considerable time elapsed.

"Then came the amending legislation of 1919, when the Transit Construction Commissioner came into office. As I recall it, the Transit Construction Commissioner had sympathized with the view taken by the Public Service Commission in his belief that the settlement should have been taken and the work continued; but there was this wrangle over the question of the engineer's recommendations and of action in the Board of Estimate.

**Tells of the $1,500,000 Loss.**

"The result was that, as there was no reversal of that position in the board, the work was readvertised, and that the lower bidder was the Patrick McGovern Company and that his bid was $3,363,974. That bid, compared with the original figure of the Degnon contract and the proposed readjusted figure of the Degnon contract, represented a loss to the city upon that operation of $1,500,000 and a great deal of delay.

"That was the first embarrassing occurrence in the history of the work we are discussing."

Mr. McAneny testified that the contract to the Degnon Company was awarded on June 6, 1918, and the one to the McGovern Company on July 12, 1920, so that the time lost was two years and one month. He added that the McGovern contract was completed and the subway and tunnel part of the line between Sixth Avenue and Meserole Street was virtually ready for the installation of tracks and stations when the Transit Commission took office in 1921. Mr. McAneny testified that the increased amount of the McGovern contract and the interest charges had increased the amount of the city's investment from $15,000,000 to about $17,000,000.

"As I figure the interest upon the city's investment it was in the nature of $2,000 a day—somewhere around $700,000 a year—the interest the city was paying upon a subway line which had been constructed so that the tracks might be laid but which was not being used at all," said Mr. Sherman, counsel for Justice McAvoy.

"That is true," replied Mr. McAneny. "Of course it was assumed that the track work would go right on and Mr. Delaney (then Transit Construction Commissioner and now Chairman of the Board of Transportation) had brought it right down to the point where it was to proceed. There has been no negligence whatever on his part in pressing his work forward from the point at which he took it up."

**The Canal Street Congestion.**

Mr. McAneny explained that objection had developed among Brooklyn residents to the proposed connection between the subway and elevated part of the line, which led the commission to propose a route along the right of way of the little used Evergreen branch of the Long Island Railroad. He said that the Board of Estimate and Mayor Hylan separately had approved this route in 1918.

He added that the commission had been particularly anxious to complete this line, because it would give rapid transit service to the populous Brownsville and East New York section of Brooklyn, which send many industrial workers daily to Manhattan and thus relieve the pressure at Canal Street.

"How do they have to go now?" asked Mr. Sherman.

"At the present time they are obliged to use the Broadway line of the Brooklyn system in the main. They come in over the Williamsburg Bridge, down through Centre Street to Canal. There they leave the cars, have to come to the street, take transfer slips and carry them across to Broadway, where they get on the Broadway trains of the completed new subway system and travel north to their destinations.

Q.—Well, that is quite roundabout, is it not? A.—In other words, it is extremely roundabout, and the growth of that traffic has been so enormous that it has converted Canal Street into the most acute, I should say even the most dangerous, situation upon any part of the city subway lines. Not merely that, not merely the ordinary element of pushing and hurrying and tossing on trains and on platforms, but here the people have to go to the street one way in the morning, and again in the afternoon, no matter what the travel may be, traveling in a great mass, 50,000 people a day crossing that street on the surface, because there is no room in the underground passages provided for them to take that means of getting from one train to another.

**Dangerous Crowding on Platforms.**

Q.—Wouldn't you go further and say that there has been very dangerous overcrowding on the platforms themselves, as I am advised? A.—So dangerous that at present the people are let down to the platforms only a trainful by trainful. People are frequently—I am not sure as to whether this is the present practice—are waiting in the streets until enough can be let down on the platform to fill a train, and thus avoid the danger of being shoved off onto the tracks. The Canal Street station was built as a local station originally. I mean on the Centre Street side. It was never intended for any such pressure as that. It was a part of the original loop system between Brooklyn, over the Williamsburg Bridge to the Municipal Building there at Chambers street.

Q.—After you took office in April, 1921, it seems to delay in securing action upon the complaints as to the track work and the stations, and so on, that work was again held up for about a year," Mr. McAneny continued, "and the subway section was not completed and put to use until June 30, 1924."

"That is a sort of shuttle service, is it not?" asked Mr. Sherman.

"Yes, it is a substantial link," replied Mr. McAneny, "and has proved a godsend to a great many people between Williamsburg and the mercantile district of Manhattan.

"But it does not in its present condition afford any relief whatever to the great mass of people whom you have described as earning their living in the industries in New York and residing in the sections of Brooklyn that you have indicated."

**Little Relief at Canal Street.**

"They are not relieved by that line," said Mr. McAneny. "I do not suppose one would notice the slightest perceptible differences in the degree of pressure occurring today at Canal Street and that occurring four or five months ago, before the opening of the line to Williamsburg. Of course, as soon as you open any new transit line under these conditions it is just immediately flooded with traffic. The line was congested within a week after it was opened."

"Can it be operated with its full efficiency as a short line, as compared with its being operated as part of a long line?"

"Not with anything like its intended capacity, of course," replied Mr. McAneny. "Unfortunately, that traffic is carried at the greatest expense because the subway section represents the greatest investment. I should say that the line to Williamsburg today may carry from one-fifth to one-quarter of the full traffic that the line is expected to develop when it has tapped the populated parts of Brooklyn it was intended to serve."

Mr. McAneny told in detail of the efforts made to bring about the construction of the rest of the line to East New York, how Mr. Delaney had recommended it as urgent and how a deadlock had developed between the Board of Estimate and Mr. Garrison as receiver for the B. R. T. because of Mr. Garrison's refusal to permit a change in the contract to permit the city to build it as a subway. He declared that the commission was willing that it should be built either as a subway or an elevated structure and that both the board and Mr. Garrison had understood its attitude. He added that the commission, although it sent a contract for the construction of an elevated line to the board, could not get the board to change its position or the receiver to change his, and that the matter rested until the commission obtained the consent of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Corporation on Dec. 14, 1923, after the B. R. T. reorganization.

Mr. McAneny said the commission had sent to the Board of Estimate for validation two routes for a subway in February, 1924, and April, 1924, but that the board rejected both of them. On July 15, he added, the new Board of Transportation sent the board a route, almost identical with the first route submitted by the commission, and the board approved that on Aug. 21.

**Three Contracts Now Before Board.**

Mr. McAneny said that three separate construction contracts for this subway were now before the Board of Estimate but there had been a delay of at least a month because of some misunderstanding about the terms of the proposed modification of Contract No. 4, which the representatives of the city and the company were to sign.

"As I understand it," he continued, "the railroad company proposed to sign a customary form of consent to such modification and the city through the Corporation Counsel proposed some departures from that form which the railroad company believed might prejudice its rights in litigation now pending. The question which is the immediate party in the execution of the modifying agreement, was not only content with the first form proposed but I believe that the Board of Transportation had something to do with that and was in substantial agreement. There was a conference at the offices of the Transit Commission a week or so ago of the lawyers representing the various parties, and I understand there is now a substantial agreement upon a compromise form. Mr. Harkness handled that."

"Not quite yet," interjected Commissioner Harkness. "There is one point yet in the agreement regarding the $30,000,000 suit that Mr. Conboy took under consideration. This morning I had a letter from him making another suggestion."

"The upshot of the whole matter is that there is no agreement upon it yet?" asked Mr. Sherman.

"There still remains the technical confirmation of the agreement," Mr. McAneny replied.

**Completion Still Four Years Off.**

Mr. De Ford of the Board of Transportation said that it was the language of the proposed preamble of the agreement which was causing the delay. Mr. McAneny said that he understood that was the case, and, in reply to a question, said he believed it would take four years to finish the subway after the contracts had been awarded. Mr. De Ford said that the contracts called for three years. Mr. McAneny said that this period was merely for construction of the tunnel and that his estimate of four years included the period required for installation of the tracks, track equipment and stations, which must be finished before the beginning of operation.

After his examination as to the cause of delays in the construction of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern line Mr. McAneny had read into the record a letter to the Board of Estimate dated April 5, 1922. This letter said that between March 5, 1921, and Sept. 21, 1921, the commission had sent to the board for approval forty contracts for the construction and equipment of unfinished sections of the dual subway system and that the board had approved only three of them, giving no reasons in any case for rejection or failure of approval.

Earlier in the day Mr. McAneny was examined concerning the action of the commission in keeping the tracks of the transit companies in proper condition, a charge that it had failed to do so being one of those made by the Board of Estimate to the Governor. Mr. McAneny denied that "the tracks of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit Corporation elevated lines were and had been for a long time unsafe, defective and required replacement and repairs." He asserted that the report of the Joint Committee of Engineers of the commission and board had found that the B. M. T. tracks were safe and made the same finding in the case of the Interborough.

**Witness Corrects Himself.**

"I think I might be permitted to add that the Mayor of New York was willing to sign the statement that contained this falsification—" Mr. McAneny said, referring to the wording of the charge. "I beg your pardon—the Mayor did not sign them."

"I was going to correct you as to that," Mr. Sherman said. "There is no signature of the Mayor attached to these charges."

The first draft presented to the Board of Estimate started with the usual salutation that 'we, the undersigned,'" said Mr. McAneny. "It contained matters that I considered to be highly libelous and I called the attention of the public to that fact. Thereafter these passages were either omitted or modified. 'We, the undersigned' was omitted and this complaint was communicated to the Governor as a resolution of the Board of Estimate in a letter signed by the Secretary."

"I am dealing with the charges as they were submitted," rejoined Mr. Sherman in mild reproof. "I have nothing to do with the situation with respect to what may have preceded it, so you will please confine yourself entirely to the charges as filed with the Governor."

Mr. Sherman brought out that the report of the Joint Committee of Engineers stated that 2,500 outer guard rail timbers of 148,270 on the B. M. T. elevated lines required renewals immediately and asked what the commission had done about it. Mr. McAneny said the company, being represented on the committee, had received the report and had undoubtedly remedied the condition. He asserted that the commission's inspecting force of thirty men continued to make periodical inspections, but had not checked up the engineers' report "in big type." Mr. McAneny explained that the report did not mean that the condition of the rails was dangerous, but merely that they had deteriorated and should be replaced.

**Roads Kept Close Watch, He Says.**

"These functions of the commission are largely supervisory," Mr. McAneny said. "The railways are their own best inspector because upon the condition of their plants depends not only the safety of every passenger but their own financial standing. They are heavily penalized for accidents that occur on their roads. The Malbone Street disaster in Brooklyn along cost the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company over a million dollars. Their systems of inspection are thorough and they are based not only on their zeal as railroad men, but as keen in business who are bent upon protecting in every fashion their own financial concern."

Mr. Sherman asked what steps the commission had taken in reply to a letter from the Board of Estimate, urging that the defects reported by the Joint Committee be remedied at once.

"The letter to which you refer was a bit of humor," Mr. McAneny replied. "Whether you regard it as humorous or not, I want you to treat it with the seriousness that it deserves," said Mr. Sherman.

"Those steps were taken two months before," Mr. McAneny answered. "This report was made jointly to the Board of Estimate and the Transit Commission, and it say therefore that the receipt of the solemnly written letter in April recommending immediate action, when we were one of the partners in the inquiry and had already taken action, has a humorous side to it."

Mr. McAneny said he did not consider that the number of alleged defects in track structure, as reported by the engineers, was very large, and that he believed that the B. M. T. had been "catching up in its deferred maintenance."

Former Justice Clarence J. Shearn, special counsel to the commission, suggested that it might be proper to include in the record that the committee of engineers was unanimous in finding the subways and elevated lines of the Interborough system "in a safe condition and excellently maintained."

"May I add that the report in the case of the Brooklyn lines, as to their perfect safety, expressed in the paragraphs I read, was also signed by all the members of the committee?" said Mr. McAneny.

**Sunnyside Wreck Taken Up.**

Another of the Board of Estimate charges to which Mr. McAneny made reply in his testimony concerned the commission's alleged responsibility for a wreck in the Sunnyside yards of the Long Island Railroad on July 30, 1924, in which one person was killed and others injured. Mr. McAneny testified that the accident was caused by derailment of the last three cars of the train by a switchman throwing a hand-operated system while the train was passing. The charges declared that the accident would not have occurred if this switch had been part of the railroad's interlocking switch system and that the commission was at fault for not having had this improvement made.

Mr. McAneny said that the accident, never before known in railroad operation, was caused by the concurrent failure of the switchman and the operator in the switch tower. "It was a question of human failure, which does account now and then for accidents," he said. "I think that so far as the significance of the accident is concerned it is highly pertinent to say that this was the first case of train accident on the Long Island Railroad in twenty-five years in which a single human life had been lost, a record that is not parallel anywhere. In that time they had carried something over one billion passengers—one out of one billion."

"It might have been prevented, I assume, had there been no hand switch there," said Mr. Sherman.

"That is quite evident," replied Mr. McAneny. "It might have been prevented had we foreseen what was going to happen."

Mr. Sherman read as part of the charges a presentment by a Queens County Grand Jury which held the Transit Commission responsible for alleged "failure to properly and adequately function in its control of the railroad."

Mr. McAneny replied that the presentment was not based on fact and said he understood that no indictment resulted. This was corrected later by Mr. Shearn, who said he understood that there had been indictments in this case, but that those indicted had not yet been brought to trial.

Mr. McAneny said that the Commissioners' engineers had not been willing to approve the linking of the hand switch in question because it was held that it would delay railroad operation from the Long Island station in Manhattan. He said he believed that the safety had been effected by the railroad building an additional track.

**The Brighton Beach Wreck.**

Mr. McAneny also was questioned concerning a wreck on the Brighton Beach line of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Company on [illegible], 1921, when a train of wooden cars was in collision with a train of steel cars. The charges recited that the first car of the wooden train telescoped over the roof of the last car of the steel train; that a large part of the roof of the first wooden car telescoped over the fore part of the second wooden car, and that one person was killed and thirty passengers injured.

The charges, as read by Mr. Sherman, alleged that the accident was caused by the failure of the motorman of the wooden car train to apply the brakes and declared that the accident would not have happened if the commission had required the company to install the modern type of "dead man's button." This is a device on the controller handle to turn off the power and apply the brakes at the release of the pressure of the motorman's hand.

Mr. McAneny said that an investigation showed that the older wooden cars, mentioned in the charge, were not injured, and referred Mr. Sherman to his testimony of the preceding day concerning the comparative safety of steel and wooden cars and the progress made by the company in installing the modern "dead man's button." Mr. McAneny testified that the company had begun to install the improved device on its trains before this accident occurred.

Mr. McAneny testified at considerable length concerning the commission's auditing bureau of twenty-five men, in reply to the charge that the commission had failed to have made an adequate examination of the operating accounts of the Interborough and B. M. T. under their contract with the city to operate the dual system of subways. He testified that the bureau checked each item by its voucher but made no report, other than the periodic ones, to the commission, except in case of an item of an unusual nature. Mr. McAneny called attention to the seeming general character of this charge in reply to a question as to whether the bureau had reported matters for the specific attention of the Commissioners.

"I recall none for some time past," he replied. "There are no specifications in the matter you have read here, so I am without knowledge as to what it refers."

**Denies Charge of Extravagance.**

Mr. McAneny answered the charge that the commission had shown extravagance and favoritism in the matter of employes by saying that it had obtained almost its entire staff from its predecessors. He added that the commission had had about 1,000 employes up to July 1, when about two-thirds were transferred to the newly created Board of Transportation. In reply to the charge that the commission had employed useless and high-salaried employes at the expense of the city and that the total cost to the city had been $7,500,000, Mr. McAneny said:

"This figure of $7,500,000 quite clearly relates to the total budgetary expenditures of the commission for its current maintenance under the law from May 1, 1921, when it took office, to June 30, 1924. The total budgetary expenditure, to be exact, during that period was $7,689,000. As I have said, that means nothing more than the ordinary departmental allowances made for the conduct of the commission's work.

"During the four months' period immediately prior to May, 1921, before this commission came into office, Commissioner Delaney's expenditures had totaled $661,393, which represented an almost exactly even $2,000,000 annual basis. The Public Service Commission for the First District, the duties of which the Transit Commission also assumed in the matter of transit regulation, spent during that period $150,000, or at an annual rate of $450,000. That means that the composite spending rate of the two commissions succeeded by the Transit Commission at that time was at the rate of $2,450,000.

"Now, for the year 1923, which was the Transit Commission's first full calendar year, it spent $2,275,000, which was a decrease of $175,000 from the previous basis. In the year 1924 it spent $2,330,000, approximately the same figure. For the first six months of 1924, during which period some additional starting force was put on as we proceeded with the work of the crosstown and Washington Heights lines, the total was $1,356,000, or at the annual rate of $2,710,000.

"Now, on the 1st of July, when we divided the force with the new city Board of that total expenditure of $2,700,000 only $261,000 remained with the Transit Commission and $2,349,000 was taken over by the Board of Transportation. If there had been waste in the expenditures of the Transit Commission one naturally would have expected that some effort would have been made to reduce this two-thirds of the entire expenditure transferred to a new authority.

**He Expected No Reduction.**

"I expected no such decrease because it was on a basis that had been acceptable both to the Transit Commission and Mr. Delaney, before the commission. The City Board of Transportation will have, no doubt, some additional work to do if it starts or when it starts building subways. At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on Dec. 12, 1924, nevertheless, that was a week ago I believe, there was presented a requisition from the Board of Transportation for an appropriation for the first six months of the year 1925 of $1,802,651, representing an annual rate of expenditure for that part of the previous work of the Transit Commission sent to the new authority of $3,605,303.

"Now as the total expenditures of the Transit Commission for the forthcoming year have been set at not to exceed $735,000, the estimated new expenditure of the Board of Transportation, coupled with that of the commission, would give a total indicated outlay for the year 1925 for the functions theretofore exercised by the Transit Commission alone of $4,340,000, an increased outlay for the purposes of the city board of $1,640,000.

"While a discussion of differing needs is always interesting and in order, in a general sense the commission knows of no reason for anything like so material an increase in these figures. It does not criticise the figures presented by the city board for a minute. They may be amply justified, but merely calls attention to the fact that instead of any reduction in the sums that it has been expending for construction work, there is a very great increase indicated in those funds as they are allowed for the next year."

Mr. McAneny replied to the charge that the commission failed in its duty by not bringing about the restoration of transfers in Brooklyn between the B. R. T. surface lines and the Brooklyn City Railroad Company, which split from the B. R. T. system when the B. R. T. went into a receivership. He said that this was a legal question entirely and that he believed that the commission had no authority. In reply to the complaint that it had failed to compel good service on the Brooklyn City Railroad lines, he said that there had been a great improvement of service and that the company had spent $4,000,000 of its income for 500 new cars and other improvements.

The investigation was adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning, with Mr. McAneny expected to resume the stand.

## CITY LAWYERS STAY AWAY.

### Hylan and Special Counsel Follow Watchful Waiting Policy.

Mayor Hylan and his transit lawyers, regular and special, followed a policy of watchful waiting yesterday while Justice McAvoy conducted his investigation without their assistance. Corporation Counsel George P. Nicholson and Harry A. Gordon, special counsel to the Mayor and the Board of Estimate, both conferred with the Mayor, but the results of their conference were not made public.

The Mayor had nothing to say for publication. He left the City Hall for home late yesterday afternoon without making any statement. It was reported, however, that he was working on a document, to be made public today or tomorrow, which would inform the public just what the Mayor thinks of Justice McAvoy's investigation and Transit Commissioner McAneny's testimony. Whether this would take the form of a letter to Governor Smith or a statement to the press had not been decided, according to information in circles close to the Mayor.

Mr. Steuer, who was special counsel to the Mayor and the Board of Estimate until his withdrawal from Tuesday's hearing, declared yesterday that he was out of the case "for good," and had nothing more to say about it. Mr. Steuer said that he was going out of town on a business trip and intended to forget transit.

## PRECEDENTS CITED FOR M'AVOY'S STAND

### No Counsel Except Investigator's Ever Allowed to Cross-Examine, Says Sherman.

Precedents justified Justice John V. McAvoy fully in ruling that counsel for the city might not examine and cross-examine witnesses directly, Henry L. Sherman, counsel for Justice McAvoy, declared yesterday. It was this ruling that led Max D. Steuer, Harry A. Gordon and Louis Lande, special counsel for the city, and Corporation Counsel George P. Nicholson to withdraw Tuesday from participation in the transit investigation.

"Has it been the practice to permit counsel to participate in investigations of this kind?" Mr. Sherman was asked.

"The uniform practice has been the other way," Mr. Sherman replied. "In no investigation that I know of has any counsel been permitted to interrogate or cross-examine witnesses other than counsel to the investigating body or Commissioner.

"When the Lexow committee investigated police conditions the only counsel that was permitted to examine was Judge Goff, counsel to the investigating committee. When the Mazet committee investigated conditions in this city the only counsel permitted to examine witnesses was Frank Moss, counsel to the committee. When the insurance investigation was conducted the only counsel permitted to examine witnesses was Charles E. Hughes, counsel to the committee. When the Meyer committee made its recent investigation the only counsel permitted to interrogate or call witnesses was Senator Brown, counsel to that committee. I know of no instance in this State of any investigation, either under the Moreland act or otherwise, where any counsel other than the counsel to the Commissioner or investigating body did any of the questioning.

"As an investigation is not a trial, Commissioner McAvoy is not trying anybody. He has been appointed to investigate the facts, and that is what he is doing.

"This does not mean that Commissioner McAvoy and I do not welcome any suggestions that may be helpful. We have asked and shall continue to ask any relevant questions suggested by any other counsel."

## PRINCE GOT KEY TO BOSTON.

### But Mayor Curley Denies Golden Gift to Britain's Heir.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 17.—A gold key to the City of Boston and an invitation to visit Mayor James M. Curley, either at his home or at City Hall, were received by the Prince of Wales during his recent stay on the north shore, it was revealed today.

The communication was signed by "Lafayette Mulligan, Social Secretary to His Honor, Mayor James M. Curley." The Mayor today denied that he had sent one of the gold keys to the Prince. He denied also having extended him an invitation to be the city's guest. Mayor Curley has no secretary by the name of Mulligan and his social secretary is Standish Willcox.

To make matters worse, the Mayor has received two letters of thanks for his kind invitations. One is from Bayard Tuckerman Jr., who was host to the Prince and his party at Hamilton. The other is from the Prince's secretary, Captain J. F. Lascelles, expressing the gratitude of his Royal Highness for the good wishes of the people of Boston as conveyed by their Mayor.

## BANK THIEF CAUGHT IN 14-YEAR CHASE

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a fugitive from justice and had confessed.

Heller arrived in Detroit seven years ago. Little of his early history in the town was known there, however, and he seems to have emerged rather inconspicuously as a successful business man not very long ago. He will be held there pending the arrival of extradition papers.

**Robbery Took Place in 1910.**

*Special to The New York Times.*

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 17.—Heller broke into the Mount Holly National Bank's vault on a Sunday night in June, 1910. The following Monday bank officials discovered the robbery and after two days spent in opening the vault learned that $18,510 in currency and gold was missing. Then the Industry Building and Loan Association of Mount Holly found that he had taken with him over $2,500 belonging to it.

Thomas Varrow Smith, Assistant United States District Attorney of this city, said that copies of the indictment found against Heller would be forwarded to Detroit with a formal request for extradition, and that Heller would be put on trial as soon as he could be brought back.

DETROIT, Dec. 17.—Clifford S. Heller, known here as Luther W. Smith, appeared before United States Commissioner J. Stanley Hurd late today and pleaded not guilty to a charge of embezzling $18,510 from the Mount Holly, N. J., National Bank, fourteen years ago. He was held for examination Dec. 26 under bond of $35,000.

## SAY RICH AMERICAN PLOTTED ROBBERY

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the modern jewelry possessed by Lady Ludlow. This was in the bedroom where she was asleep. They decided, therefore, to rob the priceless Warnher collection, contained in glass cases in the bedroom.

"A reward of £5,000 was offered within a day of the robbery. The police began an active search. The next development was a telephone message, received in a certain office in London, inquiring about the reward and whether it was likely to be increased to £10,000. Superintendent Wensley and Chief Inspector Brown of Scotland Yard were made acquainted with this curious message, and as a result of their inquiries a visit was made by a man to a house in the West End of London.

"Afterward, the whole of the antiquities that had been stolen, absolutely intact and in perfect condition, came into his possession. Not one single attempt had been made to remove even the largest or smallest of the diamonds or emeralds or rubies with which these priceless figures of art were studded. Since then the greatest secrecy has been maintained regarding the return of the jewels.

It is rumored that about £7,000 were actually paid for the return of the jewels, but there is no official confirmation of The Standard's story.

**Stolen Treasures Valued at £100,000.**

The Evening News's story follows:

"When the robbery was committed on June 11 of this year, the Criminal Investigation Department of Scotland Yard regarded the problem as the most puzzling it had ever been asked to tackle. The beautiful antiques were the property of Lady Ludlow. They had been collected laboriously and with fastidious care by the late Sir Julius Wernher, Lady Ludlow's first husband. A mere bald list of these beautiful objects, exquisite and magnificent things, would fill two and a half columns of this paper.

"The whole Wernher collection was worth £1,000,000. The stolen treasures were valued by experts at the time at £100,000. In the market they would probably have fetched more, and a reward of £5,000 was offered for their recovery. Jeweled and superbly made figures, medallions, pendants and lockets of gold and pearl, ivory and onyx, diamonds and rubies, all had vanished and the one consolation for the loser was that, as every expert in the world knew them, it would be perilous for the thief to try to sell them and equally perilous for any one to buy them.

"But the most experienced detectives at Scotland Yard were in an absolute fog as to the details of the robbery, it was all so slick, and now, for the first time, The Evening News can tell the complete plot.

"The treasures were removed from Bath House, the residence of Lady Ludlow in Piccadilly, by a gang of American thieves. In Chicago there was an aged collector of such jewelry and antiques, and he coveted them. It was at this house that the miniature plans for getting them were made and—here is the incident that makes the story read like Sheer Edgar Allen Poe—he died almost the moment that the gang landed in New York carrying them.

For years this man had longed for these particular jewels. He was a millionaire and had a palatial house in Chicago. To get them honestly was impossible, for Lady Ludlow prized her first husband's collection too well to break it up. Therefore, the millionaire sought and paid for the services of several of the best cracksmen in the United States.

How and where they obtained the plans of Bath House can only be conjectured. One thing is certain—the millionaire himself had visited Bath House and remembered the location of the Red Room, where the jewels were, and he was thus able to give his cracksmen a very close idea of how to go about their work.

That Red Room was famous. You had no need to know the residents of Bath House intimately to obtain permission to see the collection. Sir Julius and afterward Lady Ludlow, were always generous to those interested in antiques in letting them visit the Red Room.

**The Robbery Described.**

The collection appeared to fascinate him. So long did he remain in the room sometimes that he had to be asked politely to go away. It was in April last that the connoisseur—he was the author of several brochures on the world's best jewel collections—came to London. The robbery was carried out, as stated, in June. The cracksmen arrived in London nine days before they went into the house.

Their plans were made leisurely. The American took three time in surveying the place, and when they broke in they selected just what they wanted as calmly as if no one were in the house. They must have been at least an hour and a half in taking exactly what jewels they were commissioned to lift.

There is a high wall outside Bath House. This they scaled with a rope ladder. They ran along it, and by way of a fire escape reached a window. This, of course, was easily forced. They entered the house and knew just where the Red Room was. They did not attempt to enter any other part of the place. Lady Ludlow and her family and all the servants were sleeping.

The thieves unrolled the covers on the glass-topped cabinets and cut out the locks from all the cases containing the treasures they wanted. They went into the hall and brought in some cushions stuffed with feathers. The feathers they used for packing the jewels into boxes they had brought over with them.

**Robbers Told of Employee's Death.**

Punctually at the arranged minute, a fast motor car pulled up at the corner of Brook Street. The thieves left by the same way they had come and went away in the powerful car—to Dover. To have taken an ordinary steamer passage might have been fatal to the plot. Therefore the thieves had planned for a steam yacht to take them from Dover to a French seaside place. There they landed and traveled on to Cherbourg. They boarded a New York liner and arrived there on June 19.

When they had got into the city they immediately rang up their millionaire employer on the long-distance telephone. His butler replied—and the reply was that the millionaire had died only one hour before. Fortunately for the burglars, they had been paid a large amount of money as an instalment on account, but the major portion of their wages they never got. That was to have been paid on the delivery of the jewels.

Death had intervened. They knew the folly and danger of trying to sell the jewels, for the robbery had been extensively reported in every American newspaper. To have ripped away the jewels from the gold and religious figures, and to have melted down the metal itself would have been to reduce the lot to a fraction of its original value.

Perhaps the thieves were even moved by a genuine admiration of the treasures; at any rate, it is thought they were men with some expert knowledge of such things. The fact is, they did not spoil any of them. They could not find a receiver to take them, so they let the police know anonymously where they could find the jewels. Five thousand pounds reward was claimed. It is believed, too, that each of the cracksmen before undertaking the robbery was paid £3,000 by their employer and that they were to receive five times as much when they handed over the plunder.

Only a few people knew all about the recovery. It is officially stated that the treasures are in "safe keeping." Authorities on the method of recovery would like the tale of that also to remain in safe keeping.

**Jewels Restored Last July.**

The mystery surrounding the theft and return of the treasure is not lessened as the result of inquiries made at Police Headquarters. It was officially stated here tonight that the jewels were returned as long ago as last July and that the reward was paid to some unknown individual who was the medium through which the jewels were restored to Lady Ludlow's agents.

It was also stated that Lady Ludlow herself was not informed of the news of the recovery until today. Sir Charles Russell on Tuesday night stated that the jewels had been traced "through the instrumentality of Scotland." A high official of Scotland Yard said tonight that while it was a fact that the robbery was reported to the police in the usual way and that inquiries had been made by them, no one had been arrested and the return of the property was effected by persons other than the police.

The police were informed that the antiques were going to be returned, and they were informed when they were returned, but they had nothing to do with the man who returned them. Moreover, it was added, the jewels had never been in the possession of the police. Chief Constable Wensley, who had charge of the inquiries, had a good idea who the thief was, but, of course, the question of whether there was sufficient evidence to warrant an arrest was another matter.

Inquiries with a view to establishing the identity of the thief were still being pursued. The London Times understands the loot was not taken out of the country, and that from the time of the robbery until its return a month later it was hidden in a house in a London suburb.

"If the story that the jewels went to America is right," said a Scotland Yard official, "then the whole of the officers of the Criminal Investigation Department are wrong."

The Telegraph says the story that the burglary was engineered by a wealthy American collector is absolutely apocryphal, and other newspapers, while publishing it, treat it with much skepticism.

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## WILL HALT OIL CASE FOR NEW EVIDENCE

### Pomerene Goes West to Arrange for Postponing Teapot Dome Trial.

### PARIS EMBASSY MAY SUE

### Will Have Charge of Effort to Get Witnesses to Tell What They Know of Fall.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Government has been informed by the diplomatic representatives of France that in order to get the testimony of Harry M. Blackmer, Chairman of the board of the Midwest Refining Company, and James R. O'Neil, former President of the Prairie Oil and Gas Company, as to what these men may know of the $90,000 in Liberty bonds alleged to have been paid to ex-Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall by H. M. Osler of Canada, it will be necessary to bring action in the Court of First Instance in France. Messrs. Blackmer and O'Neil have been in France since early in the year.

Before leaving for Cheyenne today Senator Pomerene denied a story that he and his colleague, Owen D. Roberts, had established that an additional $106,000 of the bonds, involved in the Sinclair-O'Neil-Blackmer-Osler transaction had been traced to Mr. Fall.

"All of the information which it is permissible to print in our investigation of the Teapot Dome and other naval leases," said Senator Pomerene, "is included in the affidavits filed in the courts. Any statement that we have traced an additional $106,000 to Mr. Fall is without authorization."

In Cheyenne Saturday Senator Pomerene will ask Judge Kennedy of the Federal Court to continue the Teapot Dome proceedings which were to have started Jan. 6, until counsel for the Government can get the testimony of Messrs. Blackmer, O'Neil, Osler and others who are now outside the jurisdiction of the United States courts. He will also probably ask authority to proceed in the French courts to get the testimony of Messrs. Blackmer and O'Neil. The action in the French courts will be begun through the embassy in Paris.

It is the understanding of Senator Pomerene that counsel for Mr. Sinclair will oppose the motion for a continuance of the Teapot Dome trial. In such an event it is understood the Government attorneys for Sinclair use their influence to have witnesses now out of the country come forward with their testimony. Otherwise the trial will probably not start before March.

**O'Neil Says He Is Too Ill to Return.**

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CANNES, Dec. 16.—James E. O'Neil, wanted as a witness in the United States Government oil investigation, said today at his villa here that he was an invalid and unable to travel.

"I no longer have any connection with the Prairie Oil and Gas Corporation," he said. "I don't own a dozen shares in the company."

When asked if he could throw any light on the payment of $90,000 in Liberty bonds to former Secretary Fall he replied:

"I have never met or seen Fall in my life."

As to returning to America to testify, Mr. O'Neil said:

"As you see, I am an invalid. I am too ill even to go home for Christmas. It is a day's work for me to walk upstairs. Consequently I cannot now take a business trip. I have heard little about the case, but am quite willing to answer reasonable questions in proper circumstances."

**Princetonian Editors Elected.**

*Special to The New York Times.*

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 17.—Livingston T. Merchant of 40 East Sixty-eighth Street, New York City, has been elected Chairman of The Daily Princetonian for the following year as a result of the annual elections today. G. C. Miles of Norfolk, Va., was chosen Managing Editor; Henry B. Pflager, of St. Louis, Assignment Editor, and Graham D. Mattison of 1,169 Madison Avenue, New York City, Editorial Chairman. Avon Franklin Adams of 375 Park Avenue, New York, was elected Head of the Business Board.


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# WAR CLAIMS CUT OFFERED BY HUGHES

### Seeks to Overcome British Objections to Our Participation in Allied Reparations.

### LONG TERM PAYMENT PLAN

### Total Would Be Spread Over 20 Years in Instalments of $20,000,000 Annually.

### FRENCH ARE IMPRESSED

### Figure Amount Received Would Be Less Than 30 Per Cent. of the Original Claim.

By EDWIN L. JAMES.

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PARIS, Dec. 17.—It is understood here that Secretary Hughes in his reply to Foreign Secretary Chamberlain's note declining to agree to collection of America's war damage claims against Germany through the Dawes reparation plan proposes a compromise.

Under this proposal the United States would realize only part of her claims—really less than 30 per cent. actual value—and it is presumed the difference between what the American Government would get and what is awarded to American claimants by the Mixed Claims Commission would be made good by Washington instead of the whole amount due being collected from German property sequestered in America. Thus the State Department would preserve both the principle of the worth of the Berlin Treaty and the principle of not taking private property for a public debt.

Under the Wadsworth agreement negotiated with the Allies beginning last year for the collection of $240,000,000, the cost of the American Army of Occupation, it was agreed that this should be paid to the American Government in principle in twelve annual instalments of $20,000,000. In practice these instalments were to begin when Germany resumed cash payments—which she has not yet done and will not do for four more years—and that during the first four years the American $20,000,000 should have priority up to 25 per cent. of the German payments and thereafter full priority. On any arrears after the first four years interest at 5 per cent. was allowed.

Of course, nothing has been realized on this agreement, and inasmuch as it provides that the United States shall take account of any moratorium granted to Germany she will not get anything during the moratorium period fixed by the Dawes plan, namely four years.

As understood here, Mr. Hughes's note now proposes that the United States shall limit her demand to $20,000,000 yearly, but that she shall be paid over twenty-odd years instead of twelve in order to include the $300,000,000 damage claims as well as the $240,000,000 army of occupation cost. It is reported here that the United States is willing to accept the same or a similar interest arrangement as was made in the Wadsworth agreement.

Bearing in mind that America would receive nothing for four years since she wants only cash and not payments in kind and bearing in mind that she would, therefore, receive for the next sixteen years no more than under existing arrangement the French find it difficult to tell just how much would be the value of such an arrangement. One allied expert has calculated America is really asking for $80,000,000 instead of $300,000,000, the amount of her claims.

From the allied point of view this is certainly an attractive proposition. Much more so than they expected. The proposal is receiving most careful consideration and it is expected will be accepted, although naturally no undue haste will be manifested. The French will probably suggest that the Americans who are now willing to accept payments over twenty-odd years agree to share payments over the full forty-two years calculated as the duration of the Dawes plan.

The French, Belgians and Italians had accepted the equity of America's sharing in the product of the Dawes plan, although not admitting the legality of her claim, whereas England had taken the stand that the United States had no good legal claim. However, it is thought that when Downing Street realizes that England would pay in effect 22 per cent. of the American part, or about $4,000,000 annually, the matter may appear less important to her in view of the desirability of further American investments in the securities to be issued under the Dawes plan.

America's willingness to make this sacrifice for principle impresses Europeans, for it is obvious to them that, while she is in position to realize in full from the seized German property, and is willing to accept much less because her principles forbid her doing as the Allies did and use the property of the private German citizens to pay the German Government's debt, she is paying for her principles.

The situation brings the remark that only rich countries can afford such policies of principle, for it is reasoned that if, for example, the American budget were not balanced, the Government would be in difficulties to find the difference between what is awarded to American claimants and what it stands to get.

The American proposal also answers the French contention that inasmuch as their devastation claims against Germany have been severely reduced, America's claims also should be cut.

**To Eulogize Dead Senators Jan. 19.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Senate agreed today to hold memorial exercises Jan. 19 for Senators Lodge of Massachusetts, Brandegee of Connecticut and Colt of Rhode Island.

## PUBLIC NOTICES

*One dollar an agate line.*

**INFORMATION DESIRED AS TO THE** present location and address of Michael Fox, brother of Kathryn M. Lawlor, with whom he formerly resided at 1,218 Boynton Av., in the Borough of Bronx, City of New York. Communicate with Myers & O'Keefe, attorneys, 152 West 42d St., New York City.

**MARCUS WILDMAN WISHES TO AN**nounce that the partnership Wildman and Weld has been dissolved Friday, Dec. 12, 1924; he will not be responsible for any partnership debts from that date.

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**HENRIETTA BERMAN SOLD GROCERY** at 48 East 170th St. Creditors present claims Dec. 23, before noon, to Jacob I. Wiesel, attorney, 1,482 Broadway, city.

*$100 reward for information leading to arrest and conviction of any one obtaining money fraudulently through announcements in The New York Times.*

# MATSUDAIRA SENDS GOOD-WILL MESSAGE

### *New Japanese Ambassador Says He Will Work for Good Understanding.*

By WILFRID FLEISHER.

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TOKIO, Dec. 17.—Tsuneo Matsudaira today confirmed his appointment and acceptance as Ambassador to Washington. Officials here express the belief that the American Government will have no objection to the appointment of Mr. Matsudaira.

The Cabinet unofficially reached the decision to appoint him at its regular session yesterday, and instructions were immediately sent to Mr. Yoshida, Chargé d'Affaires at Washington, to ask the customary approval of the United States Government.

Mrs. Matsudaira will accompany her husband. She is a lady-in-waiting to the Empress and is widely known in the diplomatic corps here, as she acts as interpreter for the Empress at all court functions. Mrs. Matsudaira is known as one of the best-dressed women at court, and she speaks English perfectly.

TOKIO, Dec. 17. (Associated Press)—A message of good-will and sympathy to the United States was tendered tonight by Tsuneo Matsudaira, new Japanese Ambassador to Washington, in an interview granted The Associated Press. He said:

"I wish to convey my respects to your President and your countrymen, for with their friendship and sympathy I shall labor for the furtherance of good understanding between our countries.

"In this I fully expect the support of my countrymen, because every Japanese knows that the prosperity of the empire depends upon the peace of the Pacific, which in turn depends upon maintenance of friendly relations between Japan and America.

"This is a matter of patriotism for us. So, like every patriotic Japanese, I shall work for it. I sincerely hope that your people will believe me when I say that I mean what I say and say what I feel."

# GERMANY ACCEPTS ARMS PARLEY NOTE

### *This Makes 23 Nations Pledged to Geneva Conference—League Issues Munitions Data.*

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GENEVA, Dec. 17.—Germany has notified the League of Nations it will participate in the Arms Traffic Control Conference here May 4. The acceptance brings the number of participating nations to twenty-three, France, China, Finland, Esthonia, Persia and India having within the last few days signified their intention to take part.

Germany's acceptance of the invitation is regarded here as most satisfactory. Like the United States, Germany is not a member of the League, but without the approval of these two nations any accord governing traffic in arms would be practically useless. Germany's attitude to the question will, it is considered, give a fairly clear indication of the attitude the nation is likely to adopt toward the whole League conception when admitted as a member.

Statistics available here, on the commerce in arms and war materials show that while the traffic has fallen steadily since the war there remains a great discrepancy between the admitted figures of world export and import. During 1922 $42,300,000 value in arms and munitions was declared on clearance papers from twenty-three manufacturing countries. But import statistics show only $26,900,000 worth has been declared received. This discrepancy means $15,500,000 worth went to such countries as Turkey, Morocco, Persia, Russia, China and Central America. These nations supply no statistics as to their imports and do not themselves manufacture arms.

# SAYS WHEAT CORNER NOW IS 'IMPOSSIBLE'

### *Sir Herbert T. Robson Declares, However, Speculation Is Common in America.*

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LONDON, Dec. 17.—Interesting evidence concerning the popularity of wheat speculation in America and an account of the close police surveillance under which he was kept when he went to the United States to buy wheat for the British Government featured an address by Sir Herbert T. Robson before the Royal Commission on Food Prices today.

"Speculation by the public in America is as general as betting on racing is here," Sir Herbert Robson told the commission. "Where a lift boy here will ask your opinion about a race, a lift boy in Chicago and elsewhere will ask you about chances in wheat, and a chambermaid will say, 'Ought I to buy now or sell?'"

Sir Herbert declared corners in wheat were very rare there, only two corners in America having been known in the last thirty years, the well-known Leiter corner in May, 1898, and that in May, 1917, by the British Government to secure wheat for the Allies. Neither had any marked effect on the price of bread in this country, he said.

If speculators were to attempt to make a corner, the Chicago Board of Trade would intervene promptly, he said, and he had not the least doubt that the United States Government would also. A corner thus would be practically impossible financially and certainly politically, he said.

Sir Herbert related that when he was in Chicago in 1917 as one of the buyers for the British Government they had to go before the Attorney General and suffer searching cross-examination and two detectives followed them about all day and slept outside their rooms at night. He added:

"We were told they were to protect us from a mob of grain traders, but I believe the idea was to see exactly what we did and if we tried to corner the market."

## MacDONALD RETAINS POST.

### Rumors Had Him Quitting as Opposition Leader.

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LONDON, Dec. 17.—There have been rumors during the last few days that former Premier Ramsay MacDonald intends in the near future to relinquish his position as leader of the Opposition.

At recent meetings of the Parliamentary Labor Party there has been a certain amount of criticism, but this comes from a relatively small section of the party. The bulk of the rank and file and most of the members of the last Cabinet are convinced that the only way to insure unity of party in the difficult days ahead is by retaining Mr. MacDonald as leader.

Mr. MacDonald himself has no intention of relinquishing the leadership, but before Parliament reassembles next February he will take a sea voyage for his health. Sailing next Monday, he will visit Kingston, Jamaica, Port Limon, Costa Rica and Cristobal, Panama, returning to Kingston, where he hopes to remain for a fortnight before sailing for England.

# BALDWIN PRESENTS EMPIRE TRADE PLAN

### Proposes £1,000,000 Subsidy to Bring Food From Dominions in New Marketing Scheme.

### WOULD PROTECT INDUSTRY

### His Project to Levy Duties Under Safeguarding Act Is Assailed as a General Tariff.

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LONDON, Dec. 17.—In the House of Commons today Prime Minister Baldwin unfolded the economic policy of the Government, dealing not merely with schemes for direct relief of unemployment but also with the future of the Safeguarding of Industries act.

His speech, which made a strong impression, was a declaration of his faith in the future of the British Empire and his resolve to bring about those closer relations which were desired not merely by the people of this country but by the inhabitants of the empire as a whole.

He was replying to a Liberal amendment to the King's address which regretted that the King's speech foreshadowed the introduction of tariffs and preferences which would increase the burden of taxation, raise prices, increase the cost of living, hamper industry and reduce emloyment. After defeating this amendment by a vote of 339 to 151, the House adopted the King's address.

**Outlines Economic Program.**

The Prime Minister's proposals were as follows:

With respect to the safeguarding of industries, he said a bill would be introduced next year entitling any industry which can prove itself substantial and efficient to general protection against unfair competition due to depreciated currency, longer hours of labor or lower wages.

In regard to imperial preference he said an imperial economic committee would set up terms of preference and would "consider the possibility of improving methods of preparing for market and marketing within the United Kingdom food products of the overseas parts of the empire with a view to increasing the consumption of such products in the United Kingdom in preference to imports from foreign countries and to promote the interests both of producers and consumers."

It was estimated that it would be possible to allocate the sum of £1,000,000 a year for this object. The first articles to be remitted would be meat and fruit.

Dealing with the Imperial Conference, he said all the resolutions of the Imperial Conference which involve the reduction of duties would be brought before the House and would be included in the next budget.

As to taxes on food, the Premier said there could never be a complete system of preference as it was understood in this country until such a time as the country consented to have taxes on food, by which was meant taxes on food of normal, general and daily consumption. Such taxation today was not practical politics, he said.

It was proposed, therefore, that the full money equivalent of the advantages which would have been conferred on the empire in respect of duties which were not retained should be devoted to schemes for developing the trade of the empire and in the first case of developing schemes of marketing. This subject could not be touched by taxation, but the Prime Minister hoped it was not beyond the wit of man to devise some scheme whereby without taxing the food of the British it might be possible to alter to some extent the course of trade for the benefit of the empire and for the benefit of the people of this country.

**Sees Emergence From Death Shadow.**

The Prime Minister dwelt upon the necessity of establishing real peace in Europe. Two things he descried on the horizon as perhaps slowly getting better, to which attention must be devoted. There was commercially the want of confidence, but he had hope that the execution of the Dawes plan might help to stabilize conditions throughout the centre of Europe and that there might be seen a return of that confidence earlier than would have seemed possible twelve months ago.

But there was also the fear of the future, and Mr. Baldwin dealt with this in these words:

"The people of Europe have but just emerged from the Valley of the Shadow of Death, and the chill of that dread passage is still in their very bones.

"Until Europe can feel security, political security, I fear we shall not see that restoration of complete economic conference which is so absolutely necessary. Therefore, any Government in this country must devote and continue to devote with infinite patience the whole of its strength to helping Europe to regain its economic confidence and to banish the fear of the future by enabling to grow that political confidence to which we have not yet attained."

**Bill Won't Be Wedge for Protection.**

After declaring that the Trade Facilities act and the export credits scheme would still stimulate trade, he announced the introduction of a new Safeguarding of Industries bill next year. There was no intention, he said, to use this as a wedge for the introduction of protection, but it would be based on the following principles:

"Any industry desiring to be safeguarded must be one of substantial importance and must be efficient. It must be subjected to exceptional competition arising from such things as depreciated exchanges, bounties or subsidies, lower wages or longer hours in foreign countries. It might also be fair to take into account differences in taxation.

"Any duty, in my view, levied under the Safeguarding of Industries act," said Mr. Baldwin, "should be general and not particular. One method of discriminating duties against a particular country has its drawbacks in working.

"If you put on a general duty there is no breach of the most favored nation clause in treaties. It would certainly be our intention in any duty we imposed under the Safeguarding of Industries act that the preference on those duties should be given to the Dominions.

"So far as the protection of any industry goes in this Parliament, the only avenue open to them is the avenue through the Safeguarding of Industries act."

The proof of industries desiring safeguarding, said Mr. Baldwin, would have to be given to a committee. Mr. Lloyd George intervened to ask if it was meant that if the committee found that in one particular country there was unfair competition because of lower wages and worse conditions a general duty would apply to goods that came from other countries where wages were higher and hours the same.

The Prime Minister replied that it meant a general duty against all countries.

**New Empire Trade Project.**

Coming to the question of food taxes, Mr. Baldwin continued:

"The question is what we can do to bring about increased trade with our Dominions and make arrangements by which we may import Dominion produce into this country rather than the produce of foreign countries.

"We all recognize that whatever may happen in exchange or imports from other countries in the world, the tendency of exchange is to get imports from the Dominions and for the Dominions to buy more and more from us. And, apart from that, anything that can ease the situation for this country by diverting exchange from New York cannot fail to help us in our general trade and in the payment of our debt.

"So, broadly speaking, what I shall propose is that the full money equivalent of the advantages which would have been conferred on the empire in respect of any of those duties which are not retained should be devoted to a scheme for developing the trade of the empire and in the first case developing schemes of marketing.

"The money we estimate it may be possible to allocate for this purpose is around £1,000,000 a year, and we think that with an economic committee of the kind we have in view, with the expert members from this country and from the Dominions, it may be possible to open up entirely new and untried ways of developing trade with the empire, trade which will bring in empire stuff in lieu of foreign stuff, and which may be, and I hope will be, of far greater benefit to the Dominions themselves than those two or three small taxes which we proposed a year ago at the Empire Conference."

**Plan Assailed as General Tariff.**

Philip Snowden, former Chancellor of the Exchequer, said the proposal for the safeguarding of industries was identical with protection and was the most impracticable and ridiculous suggestion for a tariff that ever emanated even from the brain of a tariff reformer.

Mr. Lloyd George, who followed, said Mr. Baldwin's declaration was one of the gravest he had heard from the lips of a Prime Minister in the House. He asserted that it meant that the fiscal system upon which the trade and commerce of this country had been built for the last seventy years was to be completely changed by the operation of proposals which were falsely called an amendment of the Safeguarding of Industries act. He declared it was really an announcement of a general tariff.

The Safeguarding of Industries act, he said, had been proposed as a merely temporary emergency act. That emergency had passed, he went on, and this was not a straightforward method of putting on a general tariff. If this country lost its foreign market by a blunder, he feared she would not recover it.

The danger of proposals like those of the Government, Mr. Lloyd George continued, was that they took the mind of the country away from the real method of facing competition. He earnestly hoped the Government would not pursue the course they proposed, which he believed would be fatal to the industries of the country.

The debate was concluded for the Liberal Party by Mr. Runciman, who said the announcement made by the Prime Minister was momentous. It was obvious that the Government had not fully thought out their proposals, he said, adding that there was not an industry in the country which would not be able to claim protection under the Safeguarding of Industries act.

Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, replying for the Government, said the mandate was to give effect to the policy of imperial preference without the imposition of taxes upon food, and to bring in the safeguarding of industries without the institution of the general tariff.

The Government, he concluded, declined to be drawn into definitions of the bill which would be introduced in the early part of the session after Christmas.

**Free Trade Made Issue In Press.**

The British press is divided on strictly party lines in its view of Premier Baldwin's tariff policy. The London Times and The Morning Post commend both the safeguarding of industries and the Empire preference proposals as squaring with the Government's election promises and demanded by the world's changed economic conditions.

The Daily Mail, stressing Britain's high taxation, says:

"There is no free trade where the people of this country are paying £15 18s. per head against £4 1s. in Germany, £6 in the United States and £6 18s. in France. There is here a sort of invited protection against us—a state of affairs under which the alien receives a virtual subsidy or bounty on his goods at the cost of British industry."

The Chronicle fears that "if the Conservative Government were to pursue this policy for four or five years now and were on other issues, as in last October, to win the next general election without consenting to stop or repeal it, mischief would be irreparably done."

"Great Britain before the end of the second period would be transferred from the category of free trade countries to that of the protectionist without her people having ever consciously sanctioned the change," continues The Chronicle. "Nothing but the Liberal Party stands between the nation and this peril."

The Daily News asks if a manufacturer proves that the goods which he is making are being imported from Rumania or Turkey or Japan, where labor conditions fall notably short of our trade union requirements, is a tariff promptly to be imposed which will exclude not only these goods but all similar articles from the United States or France or Germany, and if the late Mr. Chamberlain "in his most hectic moments ever dreamed of such a proposal."

The Westminster Gazette condemns not only Mr. Baldwin's protective plans but also his mild measure of empire preference, saying:

"There is a danger of limiting free and open competition in foodstuffs and of creating opportunities of scarceness and exploitation, which must increase the cost of living. All of these proposals are meant by avowed imperialists in the Government to pave the way for preferences on meat, wool and wheat."

**Would Reverse MacDonald Policy.**

LONDON, Dec. 17 (Associated Press.)—Premier Baldwin today outlined, somewhat briefly and vaguely, the British Government's intentions for reversing the policy of the late MacDonald Government, which, on the ground that they were of a protective tendency, abolished a number of war duties imposed on various commodities under the Safeguarding of Industries act.

It was argued by Mr. Baldwin that when the Labor Government abolished certain duties the duties had not been in force long enough to prove accurately their value.

It was stated unofficially tonight that the idea Mr. Baldwin advanced of spending £1,000,000 yearly is to stimulate empire export of meat and fruit to Great Britain by subsidizing shippers who bring in consignments of colonial meat, apples and certain other commodities in excess of guaranteed quantities. The entire question, however, has to be thrashed out by a committee, to include colonial representatives, which is still to be appointed.

# FRANCE NOW SEEKS DEBT SETTLEMENT

By EDWIN L. JAMES.

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knows what she can really expect from Germany?

"If France is not in the position to pay, if although victorious she is obliged to pay with her own means for the reconstruction of her ruins, the prime cause of all our financial difficulties, have not our allies and associates a part of the responsibility, some because they did not ratify the Peace Treaty and will not help to execute it and others because by their opposition to measures of force against Germany encouraged the Reich to resist and helped to manoeuvre the fraudulent bankruptcy by which she avoided payment?

"We do not discuss the reason which determined our allies and associates to adopt that attitude and follow this policy. Some use the sincere argument that it was necessary in the interest of peace and reconciliation to permit Germany by reducing her reparations debt to recover and coperate in the economic reconstruction of Europe. However this may be, Germany is recovering with a rapidity which may become disturbing for the prosperity of the allied countries. She has gold money. She burdens her taxpayers only with small imposts. Her industry, whose equipment is complete, works at full speed, but we cannot see where the political and economic reconstruction of Europe is thereby advanced.

"By reduction of the German debt France has made all imaginable sacrifices, even compromising her own interests. It is not possible that these sacrifices were demanded of her without any recompenses.

"Revision of the reparations debt of the Reich should logically imply a corresponding revision of interallied debts. Doubtless the Americans are disposed eventually to make conditions with us which will take account of capacity for payment and the English will consent to be covered to the extent of the sums she must pay the United States. But the reality of this conception, which looks generous, conveys a crying injustice, since thereby France will have to pay more if Germany does not carry out the reduced provisions of the Dawes plan.

"Winston Churchill seems to have doubts on the subject of German payments since he seeks to safeguard British interests against defaults by the Reich in demanding that in any case the sums she owes America shall be guaranteed whether Germany pays or not. The obligations of France depend on the good will of Germany—that is not admissable.

**Debt Reduction Possibilities.**

"Yesterday we heard from Washington that there is no question now of reducing the allied debts to America but that when her debtors have shown good faith America will call a financial conference to consider reduction or even annulation of the sums due. It is added that the United States will see fit to do this only if there is no more danger of war.

"Certainly it is not France, who without reserve signed the Geneva Protocol which England hesitates to admit and which America seeks to ignore, who creates the danger of war. If it is sought to indicate that cancellation of debts may be considered against more or less total disarmament even if solid guarantees of security are not given the question is difficult.

"Without efficacious guarantees France, facing Germany who has not disarmed either morally or materially, cannot think of abandoning or reducing her means of defence. It would be better for her to stoop beneath the burden of the debts she had to contract to save others as well as herself than to forsake defense against an eventual aggressor against her territory and independent existence. In no case can the settlement of interallied debts serve as a pretext to bring pressure on France to renounce that which elemental concern for her security makes essential."

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# BORAH DECLARES FOR OUTLAWING WAR

### Senator Would Place It in the Same Category as Piracy, Slavery and Peonage.

### CODIFY INTERNATIONAL LAW

### And Administrate It by a Tribunal Free From Political Influences, He Urges in Philadelphia.

*Special to The New York Times.*

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 17.—A world tribunal, divorced from all connection with international political institutions, functioning under a body of laws rather than through force, was advocated by Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, to an audience of 3,000 in the Academy of Music here tonight. He spoke under the auspices of the Philadelphia Forum.

"War must be without the shield of law," he declared. "If it comes it must be as piracy, or slavery, or peonage, or murder.

"The scheme to outlaw war involves three leading propositions," he said.

"First, the creation of a body of international law—the simplification and codification of international law. It involves the going as far as it is humanly possible at this time in reducing international relations to established rules of conduct—to bring international affairs under the reign of law.

"Second, the establishment of an independent judicial tribunal, with jurisdiction and power to decide and determine all controversies involving a construction of international law or treaties. The advocates of this plan do not insist upon the rejection of the present tribunal, but they do urge that it be divorced from all connection with international political institutions, that it shall function under a body of laws and be governed in its power and jurisdiction by law. That its jurisdiction shall attach by reason of the nature of the controversy and by authority of law, and not by reason of the consent of the Foreign Offices of the different Governments.

**Wants All War Outlawed.**

Third, the said body of international law shall declare war a crime, and no longer recognize in any way or at any time war as a legitimate institution for the settlement of international disputes. In other words, if war comes, it must be without the shield or sanction of law, but in violation of it as a piracy, or slavery, or peonage, or murder.

"We have waited three thousand years. If the time has not come for Europe to acknowledge thereign of law and to be governed by it in international affairs, then it is positively certain that the time has not come for the people of this country to be governed by European politics. We will hesitate to enter a game the rules of which are to exist, if they exist at all, in the caprice and ambition of a few men.

"Americans believe in a government of law, and not of men, and that is infinitely more important in international affairs where peace and war are involved than in domestic affairs.

"This does not mean we are not interested in Europe, both from a humanitarian and material standpoint. It does not mean that we will not cooperate when cooperation is possible. I venture to believe that the American people will never consent to become a part of any scheme or plan for peace which at any time recognizes war as a legitimate and rightful method of settling disputes or which plan is controlled by international politics."

**League All Right for Europe.**

Senator Borah said that the League of Nations may fit present European conditions and should be used for the settlement of problems of that continent, but that the United States should not join it because it does not fit in with its principles. Advocates of the League in Europe do not expect America to adopt it, but to cooperate as a non-member, he said.

"We confine our love and peace to paper; our war spirit finds its expression in deeds," he declared, after discussing a number of incidents which have occurred since the World War in Nicaragua, Vera Cruz, Haiti, Santo Domingo, Ambristar, the Ruhr, Corfu and Egypt.

"We profess tolerance and practice intolerance. We profess friendship and practice vengeance. Let us establish the natural and orderly relationship which should exist among a family of nations, restore trade relations, recognize existing Governments, practice the tolerance we preach and use the friendship we profess, and this will constitute the first great movement for peace. To talk of leagues and courts while pursuing a deliberate policy of violence, of exclusion, of banishment or vengeance, is to trifle with the greatest problem now before us for consideration."

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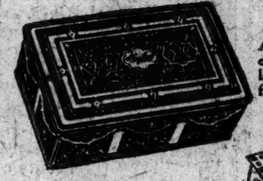

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## MUSSOLINI ENTERS FRAY

### Resignation Is Rejected and Ex-Premiers Salandra, Giolitti and Orlando Withdraw.

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ROME, Dec. 17.—Insults, catcalls and blows followed by a violent wordy battle between Premier Mussolini and an Opposition Deputy, by the resignation of one Deputy, by withdrawal from the Chamber of others, by a challenge to a duel and by the passage to the Opposition of former Premier Salandra, marked today's sitting of Parliament, which presented as chaotic an appearance as during the stormiest period before the advent of Fascism.

The general reason for today's pandemonium was the refusal of Fascist Deputies to allow the "Fascist revolution to be put on trial," as they term it, or, in other words, their refusal to allow Fascist leaders, who are responsible for committing or ordering acts of violence in the period immediately following the revolution two years ago, to be brought up for trial before the law courts.

The more immediate cause of the outburst was the rejection by the Fascist majority of the resignation of the Vice President of the Chamber, the Fascist Deputy Giunta, against whom legal proceedings are to be instituted for inciting the Fascisti to commit acts of violence which almost cost the life of at least one leader of the Opposition.

At the beginning of the sitting the President of the Chamber read a letter from Deputy Giunta, in which he declared that as the judicial authorities are seeking to place him on trial on the charge of encouraging criminal violence among the Fascisti, he felt it his duty to resign from the Vice Presidency of the Chamber.

**Declares Fascist Conscience Clear.**

He was answered by Fascist Deputy Orano, who asked his colleagues to reject the resignation.

"Our conscience is clear," he said, "and we know we do not belong to a gang of murderers. It is time we told the Opposition to cease its libelous attacks against Fascism. We declare to the whole world that we are ready collectively to assume full responsibility for the Fascist revolution."

Liberal Deputy Boeri, who entered the Chamber on the Fascist ticket and then passed to the Opposition, rose and expressed the opinion that the resignation should be accepted, as otherwise the Chamber would be implicitly giving its approval to acts of violence which Deputy Giunta is accused of having ordered.

He was shouted down by Fascist Deputies, who heaped abuse upon him and called upon him loudly to resign, reminding him that it was Fascist votes that got him into Parliament.

He shouted back:

"If you refuse Deputy Giunta's resignation, I shall consider it an honor to resign."

**Mussolini Demands Fee Resign.**

Mussolini, who had been surveying the scene resting his head in his cupped hands, jumped up at this moment, and, pointing his finger at Deputy Boeri, shouted: "Resign!"

To this Boeri answered:

"When I entered Parliament on the Fascisti ticket I did not know I was assuming any penal responsibilities." Immediately afterward he left the Chamber amid mingled shouts of anger and the enthusiastic cries of "Viva Mussolini!" of the Fascist Deputies.

The motion to reject Deputy Giunta's resignation was then submitted to the Chamber, which approved it by acclamation. Former Premier Salandra, who has always faithfully supported Mussolini, voted against the motion, however, and left the Chamber as a sign of protest, his example being imitated also by the followers of former Premiers Orlando and Giolitti and the ex-combatants.

This led to such a heated exchange of invectives that a challenge to a duel was issued by Deputy Duces against Under Secretary of State Suardo.

Although Signor Salandra re-entered the Chamber later and took his seat again, the followers of Giolitti and Orlando and the ex-combatants did not return, declaring that they would not participate in any further sittings so long as Giunta remains Vice President of the Chamber.

Mussolini's position has been shaken by this incident. On the one hand, the Opposition declares, with a fair show of truth, that it is useless for Mussolini periodically to deliver speeches announcing his intention of leading Italy to legality and peace when he immediately afterward denies his words by refusing to allow his followers to be submitted to legal proceedings when they break the law.

On the other hand, the Fascisti maintain that acts of violence, such as those of which Deputy Giunta is accused, were the direct outcome of the Fascist Revolution and that to consider him legally responsible for them would be to deny the rights of revolution.

Between the anvil and the hammer of these two opposing viewpoints stands Mussolini. If he refuses to allow justice to take its course he will give the impression that there is something to hide and that he is afraid of allowing the magistrates to throw light on acts of his chief collaborators. If he allows Deputy Giunta and others like him to be tried he risks the support of his followers, who would consider such a course as nothing less than surrender to the Opposition

## FEW FRENCH COMMUNISTS.

### Only 60,000 in Party and Only 15,000 Pay Their Dues.

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PARIS, Dec. 17.—There are only 60,000 adherents of the Communist Party in France, says the Matin, which has been making a close investigation of the Communist "peril." Furthermore, of these 60,000 "soldiers of Moscow" 45,000 remain obstinately deaf to repeated appeals for party funds with which to spread the good work and maintain leaders.

Before these figures the Communist boast to represent the people of France seems somewhat idle, but the figures have been well checked up and are admitted by the Communists themselves. Every stalwart supporter of the cause is supposed to contribute one day's salary a week to the funds, and now the 15,000 faithful are beginning to find their contributions are not enough. Their leaders are asking for more than one day's wage to pay off debts which have been contracted.

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# ALBANIAN REBELS MOVE ON CAPITAL

## They Are Reported to Be 15 Miles From Tirana, After Taking Scutari.

## HEAVY FIGHTING IN SOUTH

### Italy Insists on Neutrality in Face of Charges of Serbian Intrigue With Ahmet Zogu.

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ROME, Dec. 17.—The fall of Tirana, the capital of Albania, into the hands of the insurgents headed by former Premier Ahmet Zogu is considered imminent, according to reports from Yugoslavian sources.

Though the news lacks direct confirmation from Albania, it is understood that the rebels have occupied Scutari, the ancient capital of Albania, where the Government troops deserted to their side, and that their advanced detachments have appeared in Kruja, only fifteen miles north of Tirana.

Reports of a more reliable nature state that there is heavy fighting near Valona in Southern Albania, presumably between Government troops and the bands of irregulars, which, as yesterday's communiqués indicated, have crossed the Greek frontier.

All sources of information agree in stating that at the head of the revolutionaries is former Premier Ahmet Zogu, who was thrown out of office in the successful revolution of last June and who fled for his life to Belgrade, having been condemned to death for high treason by the Albanian High Court of Justice.

He is now stated to be in Dibra, in Serbian territory, from where he is directing the operations against the Albanian Government's troops, which are almost everywhere described as fleeing before his attacks or making a common cause with him. His men, it is said, are well disciplined and well armed.

The Albanian Government continues to accuse the Yugoslavs of aiding and abetting the revolutionary movement. The rebels, it is charged, are supplied with arms belonging to the Serbian army and are gathered on Serbian territory, where they have established their headquarters.

The Yugoslavian Government, on the other hand, is bound by a reciprocal agreement with Italy to keep hands off Albania, and assurances of strict observance of this understanding have recently been received by the Italian Foreign Ministry, where it was stated today that the Albanian upheaval must be considered as a purely internal Albanian affair and that Italy intends to maintain and to see that other neighboring powers maintain an attitude of strictest neutrality.

There is an inclination in certain quarters to see a connection between the present Albanian situation and the efforts which the Yugoslavian Foreign Minister, M. Ninchich, is making in Paris to induce the powers to reverse their decision by which the monastery of San Naum was assigned to Albania.

It is hinted that M. Ninchich finds his task considerably facilitated by the present unsettled conditions of Albania and that he may not have been extraneous to bringing them about.

It must be said, however, that no evidence of the truth of these hints is available here except the fact that Ahmet Zogu resided in Yugoslavia after fleeing from Albania, and presumably organized his counter-revolution there.

### Italy Sending Warships to Albania.

ROME, Dec. 17 (Associated Press).—The Italian Government is sending warships to Albanian waters immediately in view of possible complications arising out of the recent troubles there.

It is semi-officially announced that a report current alleging that agreements have been entered into between Italy and Jugoslavia affecting the independence of Albania is without foundation.

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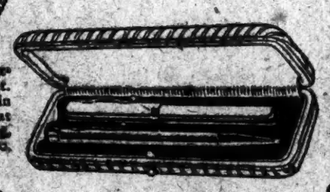

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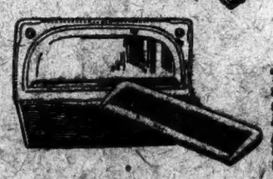

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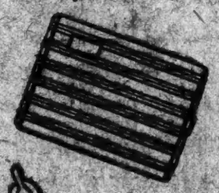

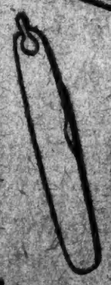

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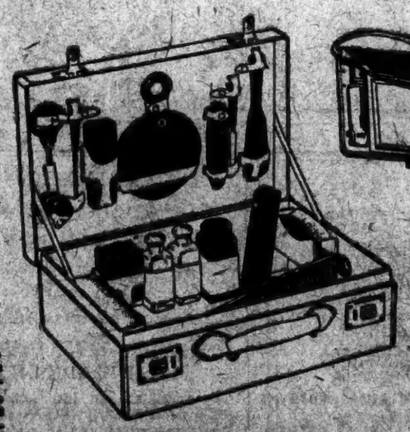

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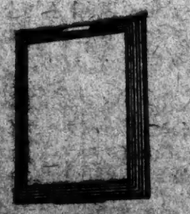

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*Turtle-Neck Sweaters*

Warm sweaters of Australian zephyr with the high, purled neckband—complete protection against the wind. In white, maize, Delft blue, rust or tan. 11.50

*Illustrated above.*

*"The Lumber Jack"*

A sweater made like the windbreakers of the woodsmen. In tan, blue, rust or reindeer, with jacquard border and pocket-flaps. 13.50

*Illustrated above.*

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# BLAME FREE SERVICE FOR POSTAL DEFICIT

## Publishers Say Loss Represents Only the Cost of Handling Unpaid Matter From Washington.

### COMPLAIN OF INJUSTICE

### Discrepancies Pointed Out In Cost Allocations Against Newspapers In Second-Class Mail.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The American Newspaper Publishers' Association, continuing its fight on the cost ascertainment report of the Post Office Department, alleged today in a letter to Senator Tasker L. Oddie of Nevada that there were gross discrepancies between the allocations made by the department in its overhead assessment against newspapers and other users of second-class mail and the proper assessment which should be made under any theory of good accounting.

In support of this allegation, the association points out that postmasters are paid their salaries in proportion to the receipts of their offices. On this basis of allocation of costs, second-class mail would be charged with 6 per cent. of the postmasters' salaries, whereas the cost ascertainment report charges second-class mail with approximately 18 per cent. of that cost, according to the letter which Elisha Hanson, Washington representative of the association, sent to Senator Oddie. Assistant postmasters are paid in the same manner, and Mr. Hanson stated that the assessment against second-class mail for their salaries is in excess of 12 per cent.

"Supervisory officials are also paid on the same basis," said Mr. Hanson in an interview, "and up to date the newspapers have been unable to find the allocation of their assessment."

**Points to Small Deficit.**

The communication to Senator Oddie points out that, according to the Postmaster General, the net loss to the Post Office Department on account of its business for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1924, was $14,463,976.24. This loss, according to the association, represents nothing more nor less than the cost of handling Congressional and departmental mail out of the Washington City Post Office. The association holds that if the free services of the post office incident to Government business and Government policy were discontinued, the department would be shown to be operating at a fine profit and not at a deficit.

"These free services," Mr. Hanson said, "in addition to the Congressional and departmental mailing privilege, include upward of $20,000,000 a year cost incident to the free circulation privilege accorded small county weekly newspapers, and $15,000,000 a year cost incident to the handling of favored rate publications, such as scientific, religious and fraternal magazines. On this policy of the Government the American Newspaper Publishers' Association has no criticism to make, but it does object to having these costs shouldered onto the paying users of the second-class mail, to as to pile up a deficit against those who pay their way."

In his letter to Senator Oddie Mr. Hanson said:

"The cost of the rural free delivery service of this country now exceeds $80,000,000 a year. This service produces practically no revenues. The service is paid for on the number of miles traveled by a carrier on his route, irrespective of the number of pieces or pounds of mail carried by him, or the number of hours employed by him during the day.

"The cost ascertainment report, however, bases the cost of this rural carrier service on pieces, weight and stops made by the carrier. By using this method, which is entirely different from that on which the carrier is paid, the Post Office Department has assessed against the users of second-class mail a total charge for rural free delivery service of $34,370,097.11, or approximately 40 per cent. of the entire cost of rural free delivery service.

**Calls Cost Allocation Unfair.**

"It is the contention of the publishers that this allocation of rural free delivery cost not only is unfair but unjust, as well as improper under the best methods of accounting. The proper method to assess this cost would be on the basis of receipts according to the various classes of mail handled. If this basis were adopted, the cost to second-class mail of the rural free delivery service would be only about 6 per cent. instead of 40 per cent., making a difference in charges assessed against second-class mail in this one item alone of more than $29,000,000.

"The cost ascertainment report charges the users of second-class mail with 12.35 per cent. of the general overhead of the Post Office service, whereas the receipts from second-class mail are but about 6 per cent. of all postal revenues."

Mr. Hanson wrote that during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1924, the Post Office Department expended $567,522,288.21 and $19,890,466.44 more on account of obligations undischarged in prior years. The total cash deficiency in postal revenues was only $14,463,976.24.

"This sum exceeds by only a few dollars the cost for handling Congressional and Department mail," said Mr. Hanson. "In other words, the Post Office Department paid for itself last year as a business institution, and the $14,000,000 odd which represents its working deficit is nothing more nor less than a tax for the free distribution of Governmental mail and literature."

### PUBLISHERS ASK HEARING.

**Seek Chance to Protest to Senate Committee Against Higher Postage.**

Arthur J. Baldwin, President of the National Publishers Association and Vice President of the McGraw-Hill Company, wrote yesterday to Senator Sterling, Chairman of the Senate Post Office Committee, asking for a hearing on the proposed bills for the increase of postal rates on second class mail, and for the increase of salaries for postal employes.

Mr. Baldwin's letter reads:

Dec. 17, 1924.

Hon. Thomes Sterling, Chairman Senate Post Office and Post Roads Committee, Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Sterling:

The National Publishers Association, representing the leading popular, scientific, religious and agricultural publications, together with other publishers' organizations, have long protested against the existing rates on second class mail matter as being an unfair tax by the Government for the service rendered in their distribution through the mails.

By virtue of the demands of the professionally organized forces of postal employes requiring an increase of $88,000,000 per year, the Post Office Department has submitted to you a means of providing this revenue by further taxing second-class matter with another burden of over $10,000,000 per annum, or an increase of over 33 1-3 per cent.

This together with the manner suggested that a 100 per cent. increase on the first two zones, which is the natural field of circulation for every newspaper and a great many periodicals, makes the proposed rates absolutely confiscatory.

Then, too, the proposed discrimination of rates on reading matter as appearing in newspapers and periodicals is utterly ridiculous. What power is there to determine what is daily news or weekly news, current or scientific?

All of which makes the situation an impossible one. In the first place the publisher cannot pass it on to his readers, nor should the readers be further taxed.

Therefore, I wish to voice the protest of members of the National Publishers Association and all magazine publishers against the passage of such unsound legislation that will further increase our rates, and earnestly request an opportunity of laying before yourself and your committee such facts as will prove the impossibility of this proposed legislation.

Respectfully yours,

ARTHUR J. BALDWIN,
President, National Publishers Association.

# WANT CHANGES MADE IN GERMAN TREATY

## Senators Say Pending Convention Cannot Be Ratified With Tariff Subsidies Barred.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Administration is to be asked by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to seek modification of the commercial treaty negotiated with Germany and intended as a model for similar treaties with other countries.

Chairman Borah was authorized today to appoint a subcommittee to confer with Secretary Hughes, after a long discussion in the committee had developed unyielding opposition to articles in the convention by which neither country could grant discriminatory tariff duties on articles carried by ships flying its own flag.

Both Republicans and Democrats expressed opposition to a departure from what they contend has been a traditional policy of the United States of granting tariff subsidies in favor of its own ships, and they predicted that a treaty embodying such a proposal would not receive the necessary two-thirds majority in the Senate, nor even a bare majority.

State Department officials made no comment on the action of the committee, but it is known that in negotiating the treaty they had in mind obtaining the same treatment for American goods carried in German ships that German goods received under like circumstances. The only way this could be accomplished, it has been stated, was through a reciprocal agreement with Germany.

The pending commercial treaty is similar to others negotiated with the chief maritime nations of the world. The signatures to these treaties, however, are being withheld, pending Senate action on the compact with Germany.

If modifications can be arranged, the treaty might be ratified at this session, but opponents of the shipping clauses insist there is no possibility of favorable action unless they are eliminated or so changed that the American Government can grant preferential tariff duties on goods imported in American bottoms.

# WAS HELD PRISONER, EX-RAIL OFFICIAL SAYS

## James B. Sheean Sues Chicago Doctors for $300,000, Asserting That He Lost His Job.

*Special to The New York Times.*

TRENTON, Dec. 17.—James B. Sheean, former Vice President and general counsel of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad and now a patient at Mercer Hospital here, has filed suit for $300,000 damages against Dr. Sanger Brown and others connected with the Kenilworth Sanatorium, Chicago, alleging that he was illegally detained there. Because of the detention, Sheean's suit charges, he lost his position with the railroad at an annual salary of $30,000.

Last Spring Sheean came to Mercer Hospital for treatment under Dr. Henry A. Cotton, medical director of the New Jersey State Hospital. He was at the hospital four months, being treated for a generally rundown condition. Since his release he has been reporting to the institution on an average of three days a week.

It is stated by Sheean in the bill of complaint filed in Chicago that he was imprisoned in the Chicago sanatorium when he went there in August, 1923, suffering from the effects of a sinus operation in Evanston, Ill. He was housed in a ward with barred windows, he charges, and was forced to walk about a yard for hours daily. He contends that at no time was he insane and that the alleged imprisonment was without process of law.

That Sheean was in a more serious condition than he realized is the contention of Dr. Brown and the other physicians at the Chicago hospital, according to Dr. Cotton, who has talked about Sheean's case with the physicians.

**Moro Outlaws Kill 5 Chinese.**

MANILA, Dec. 17 (Associated Press.)—A band of Moro outlaws today raided a Chinese store near Zamboanga, killing five Chinese, according to a telegram received today from the constabulary there. The outlaws robbed the store and fled with the constabulary in pursuit.

**Goodyear Tire Dividend.**

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 17.—Directors of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company of California, yesterday declared the current quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. and one deferred quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on preferred stock of record Dec. 20, payable Jan. 2.

# BRIBE CHARGE MADE ON POSTAL PAY BILL

Continued from Page 1, Column 4.

Senators discussed the subject with him today. The situation also was canvassed at a conference held in the President's study last night, attended by Senators Curtis, Borah and Sterling.

Others who talked over the situation with Mr. Coolidge today were Senators Cummins, McKinley, Goodhue, Stanfield, Spencer, Shortridge and McCormick. Mr. Shortridge, who favors the pay bill in its present form, said he would vote to override the President's veto. Mr. McCormick declined to make any comment.

While there is much uncertainty as to the outcome of the effort to repass the salary increase bill over the veto, opinion is growing that there is no chance that the Sterling bill to raise revenues through increasing rates on newspaper and parcel post mail will be enacted at the present session of Congress. Democratic Senators are lining up in opposition to it, and there is considerable lack of sympathy for it among the Republicans.

The combined salary increase and revenue raising measure is looked upon as largely intended to save President Coolidge from having his veto of the salary increase bill overturned. The Sterling compromise is objectionable to many Senators because they believe it will result in such increases in the subscription prices of newspapers and periodicals as to prohibit people in sections remote from the principal publishing centres continuing their subscriptions. They also see these people deprived of the benefits of the parcel post through the proposed increased rates.

# FOR NEW AIR MAIL ROUTES.

## House Passes Bill Authorizing Their Establishment.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The House took favorable action today on a bill that would permit the Postmaster General to maintain new air mail routes in any part of the United States and Territories.

Vote on a bill which would permit the Postmaster General to contract with private aviation firms for carrying the air mail was delayed by parliamentary tactics, but its advocates said they expected it would be brought up tomorrow.

Representative Griffin of New York, speaking in opposition to the bill, declared the Government should not surrender the carrying of mail through the air to private concerns after spending millions of dollars on aviation.

The bill's supporters explained that the employment of privately owned air routes was proposed to supplement the transcontinental Government - owned lines.

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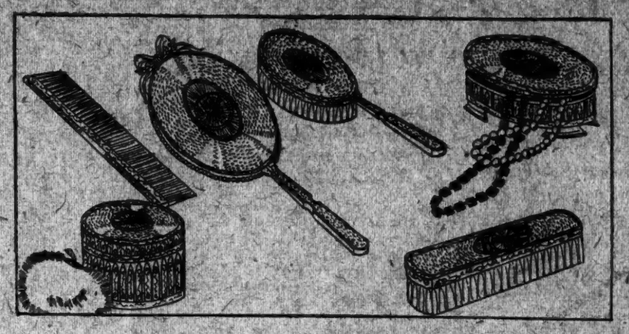

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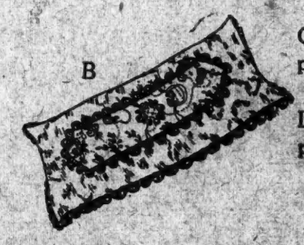

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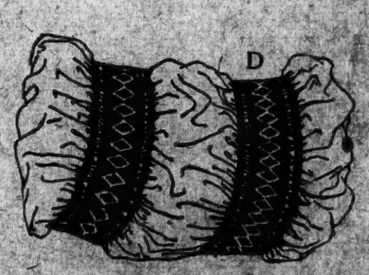

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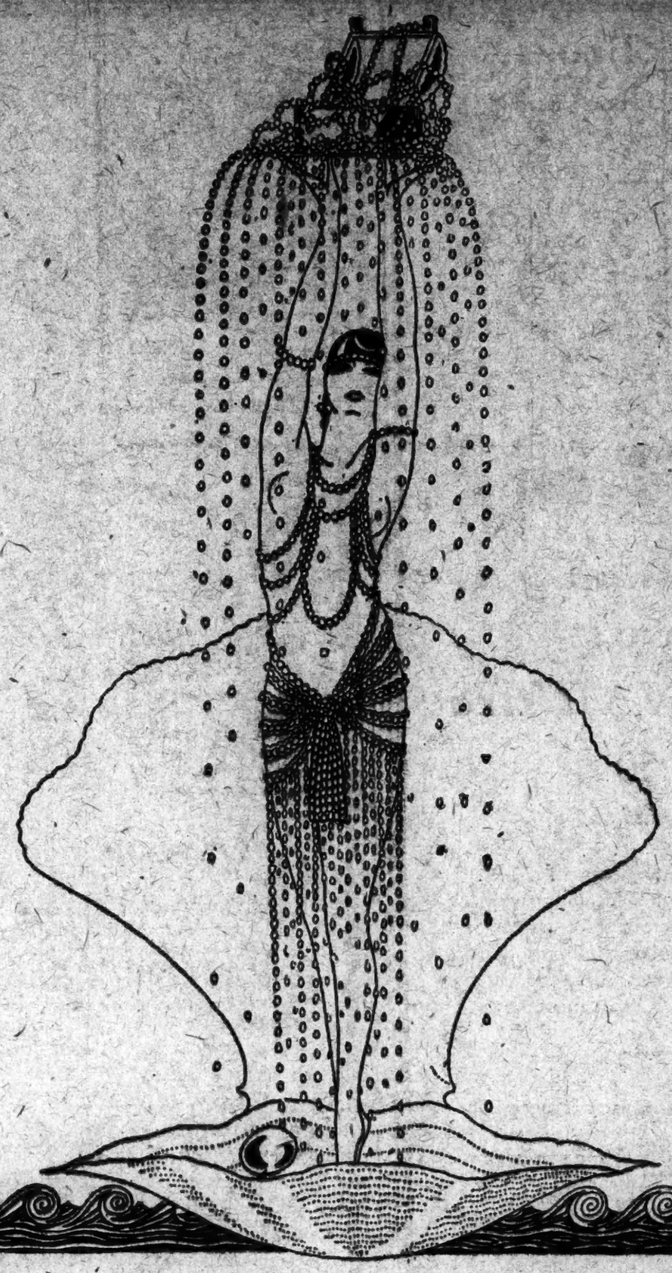

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2-strand collar with center of rhinestones and emerald or sapphire colored stones. Seven drops. 24.50

3-strand creme pearl bracelet with bow-knot clasp of rhinestones and sapphire colored stones . 15.00

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Choker-and-drape necklace alternating with sapphire, ruby, or emerald colored beads. Sterling silver stone-set clasp. 18.50

4-Strand bracelet of creme-rose pearls with bars and clasp of square-cut sapphire colored stones. 18.50

Indestructible pearl collar with center of rhinestones and emerald or sapphire colored stone. 26.50

Creme-rose indestructible pearl choker on a sterling silver clasp with colored stone . . . . 15.00

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SAKS-FIFTH AVENUE—STREET FLOOR

# SAKS-FIFTH AVENUE

FORTY-NINTH to FIFTIETH STREET

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# FATE OF BELMONT STABLE IN DOUBT

## Future of the Famous Racing and Breeding Stock Depends on Widow's Wishes.

## SHE GETS BABYLON FARM

### Blooded Horses Are at Belmont Park or in Kentucky—Organizations Pay Tributes.

Publication of the terms of August Belmont's will led to renewed speculation yesterday as to whether the famous Belmont racing stable and breeding farm will be dissipated or whether the Belmont interest in American sport will be maintained. Definite information was not in possession of those most likely to know and it rather appeared that the fate of the Belmont horses had not yet been decided.

Some light was thrown on the possibilities of the case when attention was drawn to the fact that the "breeding farm" near Babylon, L. I., which Mr. Belmont left in trust to his widow, Mrs. Eleanor Robson Belmont, is a breeding farm in name only. The late Mr. Belmont's father, a few years before he died, leased the famous Nursery Stud Farm near Lexington, Ky., and sent all his breeding stock there. August Belmont continued to develop the Kentucky place, which is still held under the lease, and never bred any horses at the Long Island place, according to a man who has been intimately acquainted with the Belmont racing activities. And although Mr. Belmont left to his wife all the horses connected with the Babylon country place of which she has the use throughout her lifetime, it was said yesterday that the horses referred to were saddle and coach horses and not race horses.

**Stable Valued at $400,000.**

Another clause in the will, however, left to the widow outright all the personal property acquired by the testator since his marriage to her, which took place in February, 1910. It was the opinion of lawyers that under this clause virtually all Mr. Belmont's horses would be the widow's property, to do with as she saw fit, since only a very few now of any value could have been acquired much before the date of his marriage. An estimate made by racing men put the value of the entire Belmont stable at anywhere from $200,000 to $400,000, but even these familiar enough with the race horses and breeding stock to hazard an estimate as to value had no idea whether Mrs. Belmont would keep the animals or sell them.

There are at Belmont Park at present seventeen yearlings which will be two-year-olds on Jan. 1 next, and three three-year-olds—Ordinance, Ladkin and Blind Play. Lucky Play, a fourth three-year-old, is in California, ready for a Winter campaign on the Tijuana track. At the Kentucky farm are about seventy-five mares and foals and some valuable studs, including Fair Play, born in 1905, and Hourless, born in 1914.

No specific disposition was made in the will of Mr. Belmont's holdings in Belmont Park. The amount of that interest was not learned yesterday, but it was said it would form part of the residuary estate divided among Mr. Belmont's two living sons, Raymond and Morgan, the widow of his other son, August Jr. and the issue of the three sons. The opinion was expressed by men familiar with affairs at Belmont Park that the track had been breaking even or possibly making a little money in the past few years, although they emphasized that Mr. Belmont's devotion to it had been purely in the interest of pure sport. Recent international races, it was explained, had done much to advance the cause of racing in this country and to bring it into new repute as a great sport and a clean one.

**Resolutions of Esteem.**

There was testimony to the esteem in which Mr. Belmont was held in racing circles in resolutions regretting his passing made public yesterday by three different organizations. One by the Westchester Racing Association said:

"Whereas the late Major August Belmont has been the President of Westchester Racing Association since May, 1905; has been the guiding spirit in the management of the affairs of this association, and has been principally responsible for the creation and improvement of the property of this association, known as Belmont Park, and

"Whereas through his untimely death, on Dec. 10, 1924, the Westchester Racing Association has lost the valued services of its President and the Board of Directors and stockholders have lost a staunch advocate of the sport of racing, who was a distinguished leader in the affairs of the turf, and one whose sterling character strongly endeared him to all of his associates, and

"Whereas the Board of Directors of the Westchester Racing Association desires to record a tribute to his memory and to express their sympathy to his bereaved family over the loss which they have sustained, it is

"Resolved, That this preamble be spread on the minutes of the board, and an engrossed copy thereof be transmitted to his bereaved widow and family."

It was arranged that James S. Metcalfe, Vice President, will act as President of the Westchester Association until the annual meeting of stockholders in January.

**Jockey Club Tribute.**

The Jockey Club adopted resolutions which said in part:

"For a period of sixty years the name of August Belmont has been a brilliant and leading mark in the history of thoroughbred breeding and racing in this country. Under the well known and honored colors of maroon and scarlet, the first August Belmont raced with great success and his victories were many. The second August Belmont worthily succeeded his distinguished father and soon exercised a widespread and exceedingly beneficial influence upon the American turf.

"From the founding of the Jockey Club in 1894, August Belmont's devotion to the breeding, training and racing of the thoroughbred horse has exercised upon the American turf an influence of infinite good. He loved the horse as an animal and saw in racing an opportunity for raising the standard and improving the qualities of the thoroughbred, thus adding to the prosperity of the breeder and furnishing broader avenues for clean and honest sport.

"He accomplished much. He builded well, and the aim he ever kept in view was honest racing, free from taint, always tending to a higher plane, gaining greater and still greater usefulness and popularity because of its integrity and its beneficent influence upon the breed of horses."

The Board of Stewards of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association adopted the following:

"The members of the Board of Stewards of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association have learned with deep sorrow and regret of the death of their late honored associate, August Belmont. For many years President and steward of our association, indefatigable in his time and attention to all that pertained to these offices, our board feels that his loss is irreparable.

"With a high appreciation of all that Mr. Belmont did for the best interests of racing, and with an earnest recognition of the great benefit derived from his services, the board offers their tribute of praise and respect to his memory.

"His example ever urged and compelled the highest possible standard of integrity and justice and his accustomed presence will be missed. His influence will be ever felt and remembered by those who were favored by his friendship."

# COOLIDGE ATTACKED ON MUSCLE SHOALS

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posed to rest and stand, I make no complaint against those, either in this body or outside, who disagree with me and who think it is the duty of the President to use all the influence he may possess to control legislation.

"I know that this wonderful legislative ship has been for some time under way with a view to bringing about the defeat of the committee bill and the turning over of this great governmental property at Muscle Shoals to some private interest or corporation. Or if that be not done, that it be turned over to a governmental corporation organized and controlled by those who are opposed to governmental operation. I submit if we are going to have governmental operation it ought to be under a bill where the voices of those who are friendly to that kind of legislation are fairly and honestly considered.

"This great legislative ship with the American flag at the mast had upon its bridge as the commander no less a personage than the President of the United States. At his right stands the second in command, the Senator from Alabama, Mr. Underwood. Down in the hold of that mighty ship, under the command of the boatswain, is the Senator from Kansas, Mr. Curtis, and other Coolidge Republican Senators serving as common sailors.

"That ship is headed straight for Wall Street and carries a deed of conveyance to the electric water power trust of America for one of the greatest inheritances of unborn generations of American citizens.

**Sees "Deception" of the Farmers.**

"President Coolidge, how can you, just after having received such a mighty vote of confidence from the American people, give the power of your commanding position to this program? How can you, after having received such a great vote of confidence from the farmers of the United States, be a party to this proceeding, that ultimately is going to be recognized, no matter what the intentions or however honest those who are behind it, as a deception of the American farmer?

"Giving President Coolidge credit for being honest in every move, giving his representative here on the floor of the Senate, the Senator from Alabama, his officer in command, likewise credit for being conscientious in every step that either one or both propose to take, it seems to me that the inevitable conclusion must be made that if this Administration measure, fathered here by the Senator from Alabama, shall be enacted into law, it will ultimately be recognized as a rape upon the Treasury of the United States, a gold brick to the American farmer and the giving of a concession of untold value to some corporation whose identity has not been disclosed—a concession so great that it will make Teapot Dome look like a pinhead.

"Doheny and Sinclair will soon realise that they were only pikers when they spent hundreds of thousands of dollars for the corrupting of public officials and the hiring of ex-public officials when a greater property is going to be conveyed to some private interest through the legislative channel without the expenditure of a dollar and without the necessity of any fraudulent methods."

Senator Norris declared that the "Coolidge-Underwood" bill proposes that the water power owned by the Government and developed by the Government "shall be used as a subsidy and this to that extent prevent the people of the country from getting the benefit of the distribution of the power."

"If the Underwood bill is adopted," he added, "it will be possible for the lessee to defy every single one of the State regulatory agencies.

"It may be Mr. Mellon will manufacture aluminum there and get a subsidy from the Government as well as a high tariff."

Continuing, Senator Norris related at some length the story of the months given by the Committee on Agriculture to a study of the Muscle Shoals problem, and he added it seemed "hardly fair" that their entire work "shall be condemned at a midnight session of outside people, perhaps on the Mayflower or somewhere else."

Whether he referred to the fact that Senator Underwood was a recent week-end guest of the President on the Mayflower was not made clear by Senator Norris.

The power behind the Underwood bill he described as an "unseen power, a power that controls votes by the very force of its own power."

"President Coolidge," the Senator exclaimed, "how can you lead these trusting, these obedient Senators in this great arena and control their votes as you would count sheep or cattle in a corral?"

**Fears Electricity Monopoly.**

"I have in mind," Senator Norris continued, "to give the Senate the benefit of some information I have obtained. I have had five or six investigators going into the matter for the last four or five days. For instance, I call attention to what I believe to be the connection of the Alabama Power Company with the water-power trust. I was amazed, and if the investigators are correct, a complete investigation of the matter will be almost a mathematical demonstration of the fact that today there is not in the United States a place where this mighty trust does not have its hold.

"You can trace the electric light in Omaha and the electric light in the South, and they both wind up in Wall Street. It would not be so awful if we were not facing an electrical age, if we were not facing a day not far distant when every humble home, every farmer, every business man would be directly interested in the proposition. When that day comes we will wake up and find that the whole thing is in the control of Wall Street through one company, either directly or indirectly."

Senator Norris named R. A. Mitchell, Vice President; G. M. Dawes and E. G. Groesbeck, directors, of the Alabama Power Company. All of them, he said, are directors of the Electric Bond and Share Company, and the Electric Bond and Share Company, he added, is owned by the General Electric Company.

"It is a mammoth task," Senator Norris declared, "to take up the thousands of names connected with the various power companies over the United States. Ninety-nine times out of a hundred, when we trace them to the end, we will find that we have reached the General Electric Company. We are in the grip of the water-power trust."

**Says Coolidge Did His Duty.**

Senator Underwood was recognized immediately Senator Norris had concluded. He said President Coolidge had only performed his duty when in his annual message he urged the solution of the Muscle Shoals problem.

"In accordance with the law of the land," said Senator Underwood, "the President of the United States, in the message he delivered to Congress a short time ago, stated that this proposition needs legislative action; that he favors carrying out the purpose of the National Defense act; that this dam should continue to be used for national defense and the production of fertilizers for the farmers in time of peace.

"I do not object to the Senator from Nebraska charging that I am aboard the ship, so far as this legislation is concerned, and working under the commands of the President of the United States. There is no politics in this bill, or should be none.

"I think the President is right. He is the Chief Executive of this land, and I am glad that his viewpoint and mine agree in reference to the legislation that should be enacted.

"The President advises that we lease the property for private operation so long as national defense is accomplished, and a real production—not a theoretical one, but a real production—of fertilizer is also accomplished; but he says in the end that if a lessee cannot be obtained, he advises that the Government do it itself.

"I think he is correct. I agree with him thoroughly in his viewpoint, and I do not think that there is any danger of further generations being deprived of their birthright because we lease one dam and one nitrate plant on the Tennessee River to a private corporation or to an individual, and tell them the terms on which they must work to carry out the Government's objective.

"If there is any one thing which Congress has shown in recent years," said the Alabama Senator, "it is that it cannot handle such a matter expeditiously or efficiently.

"I do not reflect on the personal integrity of my associates, but they are more given to wild theories than any other part of the Government. They are more prone to go off at a tangent.

"For ten years the gentlemen who control fertilizer production have opposed this sort of legislation. They want to shunt us off on power production with an indefinite theory adde dabout 'maybe we might have fertilizers.' That is the bill supported by the Senator from Nebraska."

Senator Foss of Ohio followed Senator Underwood. He said he was going to vote for the Underwood bill because in his opinion it offered the most rational solution of the problem of any now before Congress.


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# DESTROY CHICKENS FILLING 8 TRUCKS

### Live Diseased Birds Found in West Washington Market Burned in Refuse Plant.

### ARRIVED BEFORE EMBARGO

### Pushcart Peddlers Reported to Be Selling Sick Fowl—Poultry Prices Drop in West.

Health Commissioner Frank J. Monaghan said yesterday that during the day eight truckloads of live chickens had been destroyed at the city reduction plant, Thirty-ninth Street and the North River. These fowl, the Commissioner said, had been confiscated by agents of his department Tuesday night in West Washington Market.

It is believed by Dr. A. Silkman, chief veterinarian of the Health Department, that small wholesale chicken dealers and some of the slaughterhouse owners had purchased these birds from four to six days ago, and that the chickens then developed symptoms of the pest which caused this city and State to impose an embargo against live chickens from eight Middle Western States. It is understood that these small dealers had bought at least eight truckloads of chickens from wholesalers in West Washington Market and afterward had returned them when they found that the fowl apparently had contracted the disease.

An unfortunate feature of the situation, Commissioner Monaghan said, is that widespread publicity has so alarmed consumers that there is now comparatively little demand for live or dressed poultry. There were in one of the freight terminals four carloads of live chickens, all in first-class condition, but no one cared to buy them.

James J. Hagan, Health Officer of Jersey City, yesterday asked United States Senators Walter E. Edge and Edward I. Edwards of New Jersey for their aid in obtaining Federal action to bring about fumigation of chicken-feeding stations throughout the country. Of 15,000 chickens inspected in Jersey City 2,220 had been destroyed.

For selling poultry from a pushcart without having a permit, James Bova of 351 East 114th Street was fined $10, the maximum penalty, by Magistrate Jesse Silbermann in Harlem Court yesterday. He was arrested before the embargo, but a representative of the Health Department testified that, despite the embargo, peddlers were selling diseased birds throughout the city from pushcarts.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 17.—A State-wide embargo upon the importation of live chickens from at least nine other States and possibly from all States was imminent tonight as the result of investigations by two State Departments—Health and Agriculture—respecting the so-called "chicken plague." Formal action was deferred until tomorrow, pending a report from Dr. J. H. McNeil, chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry, on an inspection of fowl at the railroad yards in Jersey City.

### Christmas Turkey to Be Cheaper.

*Special to The New York Times.*

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 17.—Probability of cheap turkeys, chickens, ducks and geese for Kansas City's Christmas dinner was seen today in view of the announcement that New York had declared an embargo on live chickens from eight Mid-Western States. Prices already have become unsettled in the poultry market here.

# SOME FRENCHMEN FEAR KRASSIN'S CREDENTIALS

### *Think He Could Act in Paris for China if Red Group There Seized Rule in Peking.*

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—Ambassador Krassin's exact position is worrying some Frenchmen, who said today that they cannot discover what or who he actually represents. According to the official documents and letters of credit which were presented last week to President Doumergue, the Ambassador represents the Executive Committee of the Union of Soviet Republics. But according to the terms of French recognition, he ought to represent the territories of the former empire which have accepted the authority of the Soviets.

The word "Russia," which is in the French terms of recognition, does not appear in the Russian document. The importance of this distinction is considerable.

Formerly an Ambassador has only represented either his country or the head of a certain State. But Krassin seems to appear to represent an international group of Soviet republics.

Thus, many here as saying, should a Soviet republic be formed in any part of China and join the union of Moscow, Comrade Krassin would automatically become its representative here. From Japanese sources it is reported that part of China may take that course under the leadership of Dr. Sun Yat-sen and General Feng Yu-hsiang, and the French think that before any such event takes place it must be made definitely clear that Krassin represents only those territories of old Russia which have voluntarily accepted the Soviet rule.


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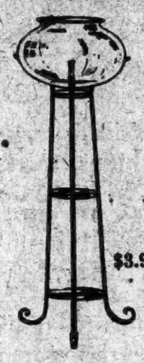

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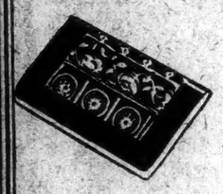

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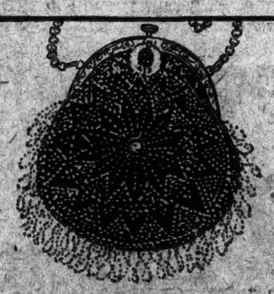

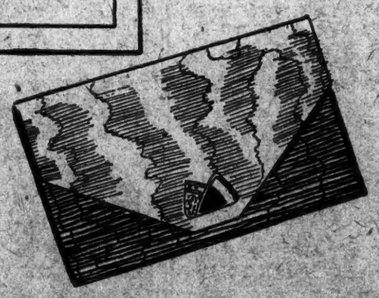



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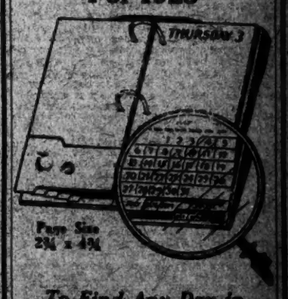

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# THREE ARE FAVORED AS NEW LABOR HEAD

### Duncan, Green or Woll Will Probably Be Chosen to Succeed Gompers.

### COUNCIL MEETS TOMORROW

### Miners' Secretary Said to Have Edge—He Will Confer With Lewis Today.

At 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, twenty-four hours after the funeral of Samuel Gompers, late President of the American Federation of Labor, the ten members of the Executive Council will meet at the Elks' Club to decide on a successor to the man who was President for forty-three years.

If the Executive Council does not deadlock the next President will probably be one of these three men: James Duncan, former President of the Granite Cutters' Union; William Green, Treasurer of the United Mine Workers, or Matthew Woll, President of the Photo Engravers' Union. The choice will be limited to the Executive Council and the three nominees are members of the Council by virtue of being Vice Presidents.

None of those whose names has been suggested as candidates would discuss the situation yesterday. Owing to the funeral of Mr. Gompers today and to the overwhelming importance of the situation none of the labor leaders in town for the funeral cared to discuss the crisis in the affairs of the federation caused by the death of Mr. Gompers.

Informal talks with some of the leaders indicated that up to last night the three Vice President's chances were about even, Mr. Green being a little more favored. New alignments may be possible after the funeral today.

**Duncan a Veteran Union Man.**

Those who favor Mr. Duncan for the Presidency say that his forty years of work in the federation, his long association with Mr. Gompers and his ability and knowledge of the trades union movement, its aims and aspirations make him the logical man for the place. He fought side by side with Mr. Gompers in many long and ardurous labor battles.

Mr. Duncan's health has not been good for several years and some who might favor him as the logical successor to Mr. Gompers appear to believe that the next President should be a man who would be re-elected in October and so stabilize the federation. Those who take this point of view say they would unhesitatingly approve of Mr. Duncan for President if the remainder of the term were three or four months but they are wavering over the question of throwing their weight to him for the longer period as it will be ten months until the next convention when the delegates may choose a President.

Mr. Green, it was reported last night, had five of the ten votes of the Executive Council. Six are necessary to elect. He has handled the gavel from time to time at American Federation of Labor conventions and was designated by Mr. Gompers to read the latter's opening remarks to the El Paso convention. He is a vigorous man in the prime of life and an able public speaker.

**Will Confer Today With Lewis.**

Mr. Green, it was said, would probably not take a definite stand until he had conferred after the funeral with John L. Lewis, President of the United Mine Workers. Mr. Lewis's name is said to be under consideration for the post of Secretary of Labor to succeed James J. Davis. If the post is offered Mr. Lewis and he accepts it, Mr. Green would be confronted with the problem of deciding whether to deprive the miners of a second executive. It is not considered likely that he would give up his office in the United Mine Workers if President Lewis asked him to remain.

Mr. Green said at El Paso that he would not be a candidate for the office of President of the American Federation of Labor in the event of Mr. Gompers's death, but it is said he has reconsidered his statement.

Mr. Green is regarded as a strong candidate as his union controls 4,027 of the 30,000 votes in the American Federation of Labor convention.

**Woll Has Many Partisans.**

Mr. Woll has many partisans in the federation. He is the youngest of the Vice Presidents, a ready speaker, forceful and vigorous and an able Chairman. In recent years he has been a sort of understudy for Mr. Gompers, filling in speaking dates which the President was unable to carry out and imbibing from his close association with Mr. Gompers the latter's theory and practice of trades unionism.

In addition Mr. Woll has many times been put forth as the mouthpiece of the council, leading the battle on important issues. He has filled the position of Chairman of the Resolutions Committee and of the Executive Council Committee of the federation and is a prodigious worker. In this respect he has been compared many times to the deceased President.

It is possible that if Mr. Green becomes a candidate, Mr. Woll may decline to have his name presented. At the Elks' Club last night it was reported that Mr. Duncan felt that if he were not named as President he would resign from the Executive Council, but this could not be confirmed.

Those who favor Mr. Duncan say that if he is chosen there will be less restlessness in the federation than if any other man were named. The reason for this is said to lie in the fact that Mr. Duncan is considered by his adherents the logical man for the place by ability and seniority. To elect Mr. Duncan tomorrow would mean, it was pointed out, the postponement of the inevitable conflict over the Presidential office in October. The aspirants for the position would then have ten months to mend their political fences in preparation for the struggle. A sensational record by Mr. Duncan or by whoever may be named would probably insure that individual his re-election.

Once a President is chosen a new Vice President will have to be selected. Among the candidates mentioned are James P. Noonan of the International Association of Electrical Workers and Joseph Franklin, President of the Boilermakers' Union. Thomas Flaherty of the Postal Clerks has also been mentioned in this connection.

## CRAIG BLOCKS HIRSHFIELD.

### Controller Obtains Order Which Stays Body Attachment.

Controller Charles L. Craig with a court order yesterday balked a renewed effort of David Hirshfield, Commissioner of Accounts, to compel him to appear to be examined as to the new Court House and the civil service employes' pension system.

As the result of legal contention covering two years, the Court of Appeals ruled several weeks ago that in cases properly subject to investigation the records of the Controller's office should be open to the Commissioner. Mr. Hirshfield had obtained a body attachment forcing Mr. Craig to appear yesterday morning.

Deputy Sheriff Ressler was just starting to serve the attachment when he was stayed by an order to show cause why the warrant should not be vacated, granted by Justice Proskauer and made returnable tomorrow before Justice Robert F. Wagner.

Controller Craig contends that the cases are not "proper cases" for Mr. Hirshfield's investigation because the Court House investigation has been completed and there is no reason for reopening it, since on Nov. 7, 1924, the city paid to the Fuller Construction Company $103,000, the final instalment under the contract.

## RHINELANDER HEARING SET.

### Wife's Motion for Alimony and Counsel Fees to Be Argued Dec. 26.

Action in connection with the annulment suit brought by Leonard Kip Rhinelander against his wife, whom he alleges deceived him about her race, will be taken on Dec. 26 in Westchester Supreme Court, Special Term, when the notice of motion for alimony and counsel fee, served upon young Rhinelander's attorney, Leon R. Jacobs, on Tuesday, will be returnable.

Papers in Mrs. Rhinelander's demand for $1,000 a month alimony and $10,000 counsel fee, pending the outcome of approaching litigation, were served on Mr. Jacobs in the Rhinelander Estate office, 27 William Street; also a notice of motion for bill of particulars, which is returnable at the same time.

The hearing is set for 10 o'clock on Friday following Christmas.

## UNTERMYER REPEATS 'SLUSH FUND' DENIAL

### Makes Public Letter to Borah in Which He Refused to Assume Responsibility.

The story published in The National Republican that sensational "slush fund" charges just before the recent election were sponsored by Samuel Untermyer and that they were based on forged telegrams was denied again yesterday by Mr. Untermyer, who made public a letter he wrote to Senator Borah, on Dec. 9, in which he set forth how he, Mr. Untermyer, had refused to assume responsibility for the charges, but had referred them to the Borah committee of inquiry and how he had been unwilling to stand back of them pending such a thorough investigation as might be had after election.

Mr. Untermyer in his letter expressed his willingness to go on with the investigation, pointed out that the committee's information was incomplete, and suggested reforms in regulating campaign contributions, assuming that private expenditures for campaign purposes are not to be prohibited, as Mr. Untermyer himself believes they should be. Among the regulations he proposes are these:

It should be made unlawful for any person or committee to pay or promise to pay money or give advertising, circularizing, or other valuable thing "for or in conection with a national election during the two weeks preceding the election for President or Vice President or after such an election has been held, or to use or disburse any money that has not been contributed directly to a national committee within two weeks prior to such an election or at any time thereafter.

All outlays and obligations by or in the interest of any political party in a national campaign shall be limited to $1,000,000 and all contributions shall be made through a national committee of one of the parties. No individual shall contribute more than $1,000.

Every individual contributing or promising to contribute over $500 shall be required to make an independent return within two days after such contribution or promise.

Each national committee shall make weekly detailed returns of all contributions received, setting forth the date and amount of each contribution or promise thereof and the name of the promiser or contributor. Where the contribution is in the form of advertising, circularizing or other valuable thing than money it shall be so reported in detail.

All circulars and advertising in the interest of any party or candidate for President or Vice President in a national campaign shall be sent through a national committee and and accounted for by it, whether paid for by individuals or otherwise, and it shall be unlawful for any person to assist financially in any such campaign except through the committee.

Beginning two weeks next preceding the date of an election the treasurer of each national committee shall, day by day, up to the date of the election, make returns under oath showing that no money or other valuable thing has been received for the purpose of the campaign within that period.

## TAKES ISSUE WITH ELIOT.

### Massachusetts Knight of Columbus Says Irish Make God Americans.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—State Deputy Edmund J. Brandon of the Knights of Columbus takes issue with Dr. Charles W. Eliot, President Emeritus of Harvard, who said the Irish had not been assimilated in the country.

"If Dr. Eliot means that the Irish will ever remain Irish and never become American in thought and action," said Mr. Brandon, "he might well look in every walk of life—education, business, law, medicine, the arts and sciences—and there find Irishmen, or the sons of Irishmen, each doing his share, and at times more than his share, for the betterment and progress of the nation.

"Did the hundreds of Irish soldiers and the many Irish leaders of the War of the Revolution show any failure to assimilate during the times of the country's peril? Does the record of the Irish during the Civil War and the War of '98 show any lack of assimilation in defending Old Glory?"


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# THOUSANDS PAY TRIBUTE TO GOMPERS

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hushed for two minutes at 11 A. M., Eastern Standard Time, in tribute to the Federation's late President, who died last Saturday at San Antonio, Texas. Work in Westchester County will cease for an hour during the funeral.

Special reference will be made today in the public school opening exercises to the life and work of Mr. Gompers. City Superintendent William J. O'Shea issued a circular notice to all district superintendents and principals to have the life and services of the labor leader brought to the attention of classes. In the death of Mr. Gompers, said Superintendent O'Shea, "this city lost one of its noted residents, the cause of labor a devoted and efficient leader, and the United States a patriotic and loyal citizen."

The funeral car, attached to the regular Baltimore & Ohio train which left Washington at 12:30 A. M. Wednesday, arrived at the Pennsylvania Station at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. On the Thirty-first Street side of the station 1,000 persons gathered in the gray gloom. An icy rain drenched the multitude, who sought shelter in doorways and on the ramps leading to the station floor.

The funeral car was met by Mr. Frayne and the Committee on Arrangements, who were led by Station Master William Egan to the platform. The bronze coffin rested in the dining room of the special funeral car. It was draped with an American flag from Fort Sam Houston and was surrounded with flowers. In the adjoining compartments were fourteen men, including ten members of the Executive Council of the Federation, who had maintained an all-night vigil.

The coffin was carried to an elevator and lifted to the upper floor. On the ramps leading to Thirty-first Street several hundred labor men strained for a view of the short funeral procession. First came Mr. Frayne, the late leader's three sons, Samuel and Henry Gompers of Washington and Al Gompers of New York, and Samuel Mitchell, a son-in-law. Then Miss R. Lee Guard, for twenty-five years Mr. Gompers's confidential secretary, and Miss Florence T. Thorne of the Washington office staff. The Executive Council of ten drew up in the rear.

The procession paused a minute and newspaper photographers' flashlights cracked like pistol shots. The procession moved on again and there was a sudden hush in the great station. Porters, policemen, trainmen and labor leaders who lined the walk bared their heads as the body was borne upward. On the street level the Fort Sam Houston flag was removed and replaced by another.

**Crowds Line the Street.**

By this time the downpour had ceased. The Honor Committee of five hundred formed six abreast on the street. A crowd of several thousand lined Thirty-first Street to Seventh Avenue.

The body was lifted to a waiting caisson of the 104th Field Artillery, drawn by seven horses and in charge of Sergeants Harold McGuire and Thomas Teddiman, and the journey to the Elks Club began.

Heading the procession as it left the station was a squad of mounted policemen under Sergeant Edward Miller of Traffic A. Then followed Mr. Frayne, his assistants, officers of the Uniformed Firemen's Association, Executives of the Central Trades and Labor Council and the Building Trades and the Honor Committee of more than 500 labor union officials. After these came the gun carriage bearing the coffin, then the automobiles with the members of the Gompers family, the Executive Council and the Misses Guard and Thorne. A single rubber-coated mounted policeman closed up the long procession.

As the procession passed St. John's Catholic Church, 208 West Thirty-first Street, near Seventh Avenue, the church bells tolled slowly. Priests gathered at the windows and students in the parochial school snapped their cameras.

Up Seventh Avenue went the procession. Taxicab chauffeurs, porters, starters, clerks and guests of the Hotel Pennsylvania gathered at the curb and bared their heads. The procession continued to Forty-second Street, east to Sixth Avenue, north to Forty-third Street and west to the Elks' Club. Men and women on the sidewalks saluted the dead labor leader all along the line of march.

Under Inspector Edwin H. West of the Second Division and Captain Brady of the West Thirtieth Street station patrolmen cleared a lane for the funeral procession at the Elks' Club. Camera men mounted on the marquee over the sidewalk of Town Hall, opposite the club, photographed the party entering the building. A crowd of 500 had gathered.

**Family Views Body.**

The members of the Executive Council formed on both sides of the short stairway. They followed the mourners, among whom were five women who accompanied the Honor Committee. They were Mrs. Morris Sigman, Lucy Robbins, Mrs. Sarah Conboy, Fannia M. Cohen and Molly Friedman.

The body was carried to the lodge room on the third floor, a large, high-ceilinged room with marble pillars and red and gold decorations. In the centre of the rooms was a solid square table on which rested antlers, emblem of the Elks, and a Bible. The Bible was open at Chapter 19 of Proverbs, the first verse of which was "Better is the poor that walketh in his integrity than he that is perverse in his lips and is a fool." Each of the four stations of the lodge's officers was draped in purple and above each in ground glass were set the words, "Brotherly Love," "Fidelity," "Charity," "Justice."

The massive bronze coffin was placed directly in front of the raised dais occupied by the Exalted Ruler.

As a thousand mourners looked on, W. H. Sardo, the funeral director, moved back an American flag draped on the coffin and opened the lid, revealing the dead labor leader, who wore his Masonic apron.

The family viewed the body first. The members of the Executive Council, James Duncan, William Green, Frank Morrison, Matthew Woll, Martin Ryan, Jacob Fischer, Daniel F. Tobin, T. A. Rickert, Frank Duffy and James Wilson, then gazed into the face of their dead friend. Directly the public was admitted to pay its respects a long line formed and the procession continued until midnight, when it was estimated that 15,000 had walked past the bier on which rested the coffin bearing a bronze plate with the inscription, "Samuel Gompers, 1850-1924."

The club was draped in mourning and a squad of patrolmen kept the crowd moving. No flowers were placed on the coffin because of the flag, but the room was banked with several hundred floral tributes.

**Old Friends on Guard.**

The guard of honor last night was composed of members of the Cigar Makers' Union. Among Mr. Gompers's old associates were Secretary Dave Levy of the Joint Advisory Board of the Cigar Makers' International Union, who worked with Mr. Gompers in Stachelberg's cigar factory on Sixth Fifth Avenue, now Park Broadway, more than forty years ago; M. J. Melnado, Secretary of Local 144 of the Cigar Makers' Union, organized by Mr. Gompers and in which he held Book No. 1, and Patrick O'Connor, President of Local 90 of the organization.

Mrs. Samuel Gompers did not come on the funeral train but arrived here yesterday afternoon from Washington with her father, W. T. Gleaves; her brothers, Captain Frank, William and Albert Gleaves; Mrs. W. Walters, Mrs. Irving Brown of Princeton, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Rucker of Hillside, N. J. They went to the Hotel Alamac.

Mr. Gompers's sons registered at the Hotel Cadillac. Only the immediate members of the family are expected to attend the funeral this morning. The Gompers family in the East consists of about 250 members. Those who will attend besides the widow and her relatives will be Mr. Gompers's three sons and their families, two sisters, nine grandchildren and probably his five great-grandchildren. The brothers are Henry, Alexander and Simon. The sisters are Mrs. Belle Isaacs and Mrs. Hattie Isaacs of Boston. Mrs. Elizabeth Gompers, the sole surviving aunt of the deceased, is 77 years old and is in feeble health.

The Saint Cecile Masonic Lodge of New York has been designated to conduct the funeral services at Tarrytown. Members of the Dawson Lodge of Washington, who came here with the body, will be present. They are Past Master George G. Seibold, Past Master Mark Stearnion, Elmer Johnson and Past Master John A. Colborn. They will take part in the commitment service in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery.

**Condolences from Afar.**

More than a thousand telegrams and telephone messages of condolence were received by Mr. Frayne at his office yesterday from all parts of the world. These included a message and floral piece from the British Trades Union Congress and a message from Leifer Magnusson, American representative of the International Labor Office of the League of Nations at Geneva.

The Baltimore Federation of Labor, through President Henry F. Brening presented an asphalt sarcophagus weighing 2,600 pounds in which the coffin will be buried. The asphalt box when once closed will be hermetically sealed. A special lowering device to install the sarcophagus was brought from Baltimore on the funeral train.

Labor union meetings scheduled for today in various parts of the United States have been postponed because of the funeral. The meeting of the New York State Federation of Labor was postponed until Monday. The Executive Board of the United Textile Workers will meet tomorrow. The local union offices of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union in Canada and the United States will be closed all day.

Advices by The Associated Press state that the Ohio Valley Trades and Labor Assembly launched a nation-wide memorial campaign yesterday from Wheeling, W. Va., to obtain money for the erection of a suitable memorial to Mr. Gompers. Under present plans every union man will be asked to give 10 cents, funds being sent to Frank Morrison, Secretary of the A. F. of L. in Washington. The selection of a site for the memorial will be voted on by the rank and file of organised labor.

Memorial services to honor Mr. Gompers will be held in the House of Representatives, Manila, on Dec. 26 under the auspices of the Manila labor unions, according to a dispatch to the Associated Press. Word from Managua, Nicaragua, announced that the labor unions of Nicaragua had declared a period of official mourning for the late American labor leader.

The will of Mr. Gompers, drawn up just before he left for the recent El Paso convention, will be opened in the presence of his family Monday in the Federation building in Washington. It will then be filed for probate.

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# THAW FREE OF LAST CRIMINAL CHARGES

## Gump Indictments Dismissed When Horsewhipped Youth Refuses to Testify.

## HARRY FAILS TO APPEAR

### Accuser's Mother Writes Banton Family Doesn't Feel Equal to Taking Up Case.

Harry K. Thaw yesterday was rid of the last of the criminal proceedings which had kept him in prisons and insane asylums for the greater part of the last eighteen years when Judge John F. McIntyre, in General Sessions, quashed three indictments charging him with felonious assault, conspiracy and kidnapping, founded on the complaint of a boy seven years ago.

Judge McIntyre acted on the recommendation of Ferdinand Pecora, Chief Assistant District Attorney, who told the Court that Frederick Gump, the complainant in the case, had refused to come here from Long Beach, Cal., to testify. Gump had charged that Thaw, aided by two others, had kidnapped him from his home in Kansas City and had repeatedly horsewhipped him in his (Thaw's) suite in the McAlpin Hotel. Gump was 18 years old then. The prosecutor also told Judge McIntyre that Mrs. Mabel Gump, mother of the complainant, had sent this letter to District Attorney Banton on Nov. 22 last:

"Dear Sir: I have your letter of Nov. 8 in regard to your request for the presence of my son in New York. Such a long period of time has elapsed, and we are so weary with it all, we do not feel quite equal to taking it up again."

It developed that George Z. Medalie and Bartholomew B. Coyne, counsel for Thaw, had had several conferences with District Attorney Banton about the Gump indictments, requesting each time that Thaw be called for trial immediately or that the prosecutor go before a Judge in General Sessions and recommend a dismissal.

Thaw surrendered on May 20 last, after the indictments had been held on file since they were returned on Jan. 11, 1917, after Thaw was committed to an insane asylum in Philadelphia, following an attempt at suicide. Thaw had fled from this city when he learned that indictments were being sought and it was not until a Philadelphia jury had declared him sane, on April 21 last, that he was in a position to face the boy's charges.

He came to this city about a month later and when arraigned before Judge Olvany, in General Sessions, was released in $10,000 bail pending his appearance for trial. District Attorney Banton, after making several ineffective attempts to bring Gump to this city, told Thaw's lawyers on Monday that he would call the case before Judge McIntyre and recommend the dismissal.

Mr. Coyne immediately sent a telegram to Thaw notifying him of the prosecutor's promised action, but Thaw was not present at the proceeding. He had left his newly acquired estate at Winchester, Va., two weeks before to pass the holidays with his mother in Pittsburgh and was understood to have expressed the intention never to come to this city again unless business or personal reasons made it imperative that he do so.

When the Thaw case was reached Mr. Pecora told Judge McIntyre of the inability of District Attorney Banton to induce Gump to aid the State and added: "From a careful examination of the facts, it is apparent that without the testimony of Frederick Gump no prima facie case could be established upon any of the indictments. There is no legal process by which we can compel Gump to appear to testify against Thaw." Mr. Pecora also handed the Court an affidavit, in which Gump stated that "because of his business, as well as personal reasons affecting his peace and happiness in his home life, he had decided not to proceed further" in the case. The Court then dismissed the indictments, which automatically released the bail bond under which Thaw had been at liberty.

A suit for $650,000 damages, based by Gump's mother on the kidnapping and horsewhipping of her son, was settled early this year for $100,000.

# MOSCOW DENIES RIOTS AND TROTSKY'S EXILE

## Soviet Blames Foes in Berlin for Reports—Esthonia Will Lay Charges Before the League.

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BERLIN, Dec. 17.—A flat denial has been received here from Moscow of the recent reports that bloody riots occurred there when Trotsky was banished to the Caucasus following a quarrel with other Soviet leaders. Not only was there no street fighting, it was declared, but Trotsky is still in Moscow. He is seriously ill, it was added, and though unable to leave the city, is well enough to receive visitors.

The reports of rioting and Trotsky's banishment were branded as attempts to produce economic troubles in Russia, probably instigated by foreigners residing in Berlin. Today's denials from Moscow not only come from the official Soviet Press Bureau but also from the Berliner Tageblatt's special Moscow correspondent.

The Esthonian Foreign Minister, M. Pusta, told Revau newspaper men yesterday that the Moscow Soviet Government had supplied those concerned in the recent unsuccessful Communist revolt against the Esthonian Government with arms and ammunition and 10,000,000 Esthonian marks. The Esthonian Government intends to submit documentary evidence to the League of Nations showing the Russian Government's complicity in the uprising, M. Pusta declared.

# BACKS THE LEAGUE AS BEST AVAILABLE

## Ex-Premier Hughes of Australia Urges Anglo-American Co-operation for Peace.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Dec. 17.—In a speech made here William Morris Hughes, former Prime Minister of Australia, declared he supported the League of Nations not because he considered it a sufficient instrument but because nothing better offered.

The League should be strengthened, he said, so long as the foundations of the British Empire were not thereby weakened. It had to be remembered, he added, that while the League was an experiment the British Empire was a fact.

"The one thing needed to guarantee world peace," said Mr. Hughes, "is co-operation with the United States, and this cooperation should surely be possible between peoples of the same ideals and history, and whose forms of government are essentially the same, and who have the same language and literature."


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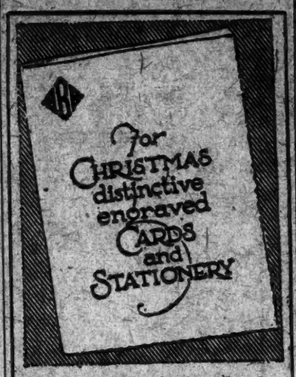


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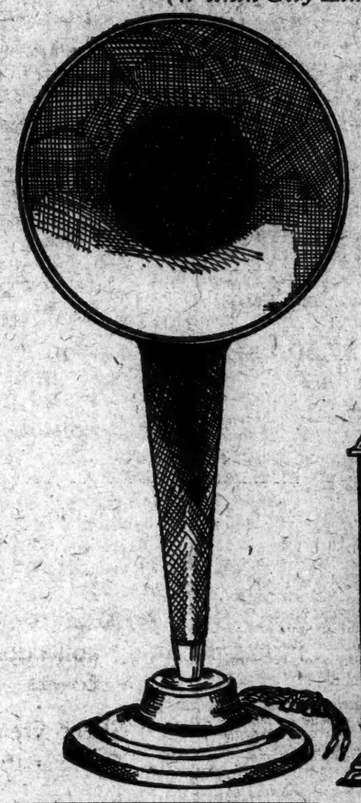

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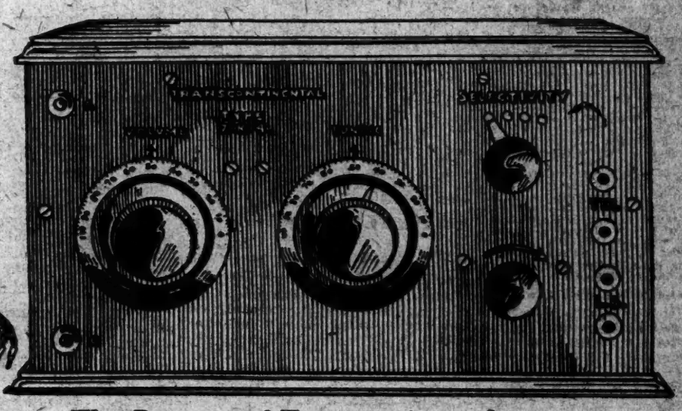

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# NAVY BOARD TO SEEK 'LEAK' TO SHEARER

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should not be made public by naval officers, at least without the approval of the Navy Department.

**Washington Treaty Attacked.'**

One of the letters was printed in The Washington Post of Dec. 13. Mr. Shearer, in making it public, stated that this letter came to him from the Naval War College in November. It referred to charges that the United States Navy is at a disadvantage with respect to the British Navy because of the Washington conference naval treaty.

"About two years ago," this letter, as published, said, "we had an enlisted man aboard one of the 'Red' battleships during their fleet practice. By flooding their 'blisters' they fired at 30,000 yards. Fifteen ships are fitted with these blisters. Their 15-inch gun ships, the first ships to be replaced, are not so fitted. We have only five ships that can fire at that range. However, when we confronted them with this information we had obtained they answered that they hoped that we would fit our ships with 'blisters.' They admitted then having held the practice, but said it was an unsuccessful experiment; that blisters were good only as a protection against mines and torpedoes; but they did not say that by flooding them they got an increased gun elevation.

"And, what is of far more importance, they place their deck armor at an angle that makes their ships non-penetrable at a much greater range. And the joke is that the department swallowed it all. The correspondence is in all the archives here. As I said before, this is all secret. It should be known, and I cannot see why most of it could be secret. I am not the originator of the dope. I can do no more than let him decide the proper time for disclosure. The whole thing has and will stir things up. You had better destroy this when you have read it."

**Told of War Game in Newport.**

On Dec. 14 a statement by Mr. Shearer was published giving the results of a war game played at the Naval War College at Newport, reading in part:

"The following is the result of six problems played out on the war table by the Board of Strategy between the 'British' and 'American' fleets:

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| 23,000 | 18 | All | 22 | 18 |
| 25,000 | 5 | All | 13 | 13 |
| 29,000 | 5 | All | 13 | 13 |
| 30,000 | 5 | All | 13 | 11 |

"British gun elevation, 20 degrees minimum; United States, 13 ships, 15 degrees maximum.

"I challenge the committee to call the officers of the Naval War College."

**Naval Conference Is Attacked.**

It is understood to be the contention of naval officials that information of this nature was given in a letter written by an officer on duty at the Naval War College.

Still another letter purporting to have been written by an officer of the Naval War College in November, 1924, was given out by Mr. Shearer and published Dec. 12, as follows:

"The people here are much interested in what Hughes disclosed and what is evident after the subject has been studied.

"Every one here, from the top down, has expressed himself as being glad the matter will be exposed. We think Congress will have its eyes opened. As it is, we are afraid the whole matter will be buried, officers will be misled, and those who can and will have the opportunity to tell the real facts, whose opinion will carry weight throughout the country, will lay down on the job—too many axes to grind. I may be wrong, but why should the navy hold the sack? Let the country know wherein the fault lies. The Democrats are as much at fault as the Republicans. We were sold out at the Washington Conference. You should have heard what a participant in the Washington Conference had to say. You should read the confidential records in the archives here and what the General Board and the naval experts recommended and what Mr. Hughes drew his red pencil through."

**Shearer Takes Full Responsibility.**

Mr. Shearer made this statement tonight relative to the court of inquiry ordered by Secretary Wilbur:

"My object was to bring out conditions in the navy. These conditions are before the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs. I was asked by officers of the navy to make the fight, from admirals down, and received my information from letters of naval intelligence, photos, data, private sources, naval experts, commanders of ships, navy yards, Navy Department, members of the general board, War College, Admirals in service and retired.

"A list of officers was handed me months ago who would be willing to go through.

"No one officer is to blame. As for officers being punished for showing or giving me information, it is wrong of the Secretary of the Navy. I took advantage of situations to obtain War College letters and have other letters that have not been published from many sources.

"I made the fight for the service and considered no one in making it, not even myself. I made the fight single-handed and accept all the blame."

## COOLIDGE OPPOSITION BLOCKS INVESTIGATION

### *House and Senate Committees Shelve Demands for Inquiries Into Navy's Condition.*

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Congressional inquiries into the navy seem, for the time being, at least, to have been blocked as a result of President Coolidge's attitude that he does not favor such investigations. Although the House Naval Affairs Committee had expected to hear Secretary Wilbur this morning, in reply to the request of Representative Britten of Illinois that Mr. Wilbur explain why he said in his annual report that the navy was deteriorating, Mr. Wilbur did not appear.

It was learned that the committee decided to postpone his appearance until probably Dec. 30, but that this decision was not arrived at until after a more or less heated discussion. Representative Britten was said to have urged beginning the investigation at once, while Chairman Butler and Representative Darrow of Pennsylvania were credited with opposing the idea.

So far as the Senate was concerned, indications were that the Naval Affairs Committee of that body had virtually determined to shelve the King resolution calling for an inquiry when the committee meets tomorrow. Necessary information, members of the Senate committee stated, could be obtained through written statements, and if any further data were wanted, officers of the navy could be called to amplify the reports.

All in all, the sense of Congress appears to be that instead of holding investigations the best course is to depend on the testimony already taken by the House Appropriations Committee and later on to be given to the Senate Committee, and on this basis to give the navy what money is needed to place it at the proper strength under the 5-5-3 ratio.

**Daniels's Editorial Causes Stir.**

Democrats as a whole are not anxious to advocate a "big navy." But some of the Democrats were stirred today by the circulation of an editorial written by Josephus Daniels in which the former Secretary said the Washington conference had "deliberately sacrificed the navy to make a holiday for so-called statesmen playing to the diplomatic gallery in Britain and Japan."

"Unwilling to do anything real to prevent war, to remove the causes of war, to secure international arbitration of disputes," it continues, "the performing statesmen (or politicians) undertook to win applause by a sensational destruction of American naval strength and a Svengali cabalistic cry of a hypnotic fiction called 'the divine ratio of 5-5-3'."

Mr. Daniels declares the morale of the navy was shattered by the compromise at the Washington conference and by the sinking of the battleship Washington.

"You cannot make our navy equal to that of any country by oratory, by figures of a certain type of ship or by misleading treaties," he wrote. "American representatives in the Washington conference would have scrapped the Shenandoah and Los Angeles to meet demands of foreign nations," he bitterly commented. "Will the guns be elevated?" he asked. "I do not know. Do not ask the Navy Department. It has nothing to do with the navy. You must ask the American and British and Japanese Foreign Offices."

A great increase of desertions and absence without leave in the past year was one additional concrete 'proof' of the loss of morale since the "5-5-3 miracle was pulled out of the hat by the prestidigitator," concluded Mr. Daniels.

**Mitchell Sees Us Lagging in the Air.**

Another angle of the national defense problem in Congress today was the statement to the House Committee by Brig. Gen. Mitchell, assistant chief of the Army Air Service, that this country was falling behind in aviation and was already behind Great Britain and Japan in the order named. Although there were 5,000 reserve flying officers on the books, there would be only 450 pilots available in case of war, he said.

The General, who favors a united air service such as is maintained by several great powers, urges that this system is the only one that would give American aviation its proper standing.

Under a united service fewer men would be required to do the actual fighting, and perhaps conscription might be abandoned, General Mitchell asserted, holding that wars in the future would be fought in the sky, and that air forces only could cope with rival air fleet and with submarines. There would be surface ships, submarines, the army and the navy, but the air would hold supremacy, he testified. England, he said, seeks to control the air, as she once held the seas.

Development of commercial aviation was pleaded for by General Mitchell, as a means of enlarging the potential air strength of this country.

While he was giving this testimony, the House was engaged in approving an act allowing the Postmaster General to continue the present air routes and to arrange new ones, and members who spoke for the bill argued that this continuance of the air mail would be of greatest benefit to the United States because of the experience and experimental opportunity afforded.

Since the World War ended the United States Government has spent more than $90,000,000 annually on air development, this total of $400,000,000 to $500,000,000 covering all branches of air activity. Despite this General Mitchell declared that the army has only twenty airplanes suitable for war service, the others being obsolescent.

Asked regarding the bombing of battleships by aircraft, General Mitchell said the most modern battleship could be sunk by aircraft.

"We attack from the botttom with depth bombs," he said, "and there is no ship afloat or likely to be built that can be protected on the bottom. Anti-aircraft guns mean nothing to the military aviators."

**Britten Urges Pacific Conference.**

One of the most ardent supporters of an adequate army and navy, Representative Britten, announced tonight that he would introduce tomorrow a resolution asking the President to call a conference of "the white nations bordering on the Pacific Ocean for the discussion of ways and means of promoting a better economic, commercial and political understanding between such nations."

This announcement was made while Representative Britten was acting as toastmaster at a dinner given by the Seattle, Portland, San Francisco and oLs Angeles Chambers of Commerce to the California, Washington and Oregon delegations in Congress.

"The attitude of Japan before the League of Nations and of Japan itself in opposition to certain cherished principles of America is justification for the introduction of my resolution," said Mr. Britten at the dinner.

"Japan's open preparation for war is a reason why the white peoples surrounding the Pacific Ocean should have a definite defensive policy for their mutual protection and the quicker this is done, the better.

"Australia has already indicated her desire to participate in any movement which might be called for her future protection and benefit and it might be well to call this conference either in Australia, Canada, or even in Honolulu, so as to take it away from the political machinations of the District of Columbia."

Although Japanese newspapers had objected to the proposed Pacific tour of the American fleet next Summer, the Japanese fleet had been manoeuvring "constantly in waters many miles east and south of Japanese territory," Mr. Britten declared. A conference such as he suggested would give serious consideration to the national defense of each country participating, he added, and then he stated:

"The fact that the white peoples have agreed to support each other in the event of an emergency will have the greatest psychological effect upon Japan and will probably do more good than the expenditure of millions of dollars.

"I believe that the world will agree that no single English-speaking or even white nation bordering on the Pacific should ever be compelled to meet the Japanese in war without the support of all other white nations bordering on the Pacific.

"The man power and the money power of the United States, backed up by proper defenses at Pearl Harbor, Sydney, Singapore, &c., would assure peace in the Pacific just so long as the white races live and remain in accord in the matter of protection to each other."

If his resolution was not passed at the present short session, he hoped Australia or British Columbia would call a conference, Mr. Britten told the diners.

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Captain Robert L. Berry, in charge of the local naval recruiting bureau, declined to comment on the forthcoming inquiry, in which publication of a communication to him from Captain Hugo W. Osterhaus at Newport will figure.

## ORPHAN SAVES MAN $40.

**Stranger Tried to Use Him in Fraud, He Takes Money to Police.**

The honesty of William Kinsella, an orphan, of 475 East 145th Street, the Bronx, saved Charles Graham, manager of the Melrose Theatre, at Melrose Avenue and 161st Street, $40 yesterday afternoon, and won the boy $5 and a job in a store.

William, up to a few days ago, when he went to live with his sister, Mrs. Martin Senk, had lived in an orphan asylum. Yesterday he was looking for a job when, at Third Avenue and 149th Street, a man asked him if he would like to earn half a dollar. The man handed him a package, told him to take it to the Melrose Theatre, collect $40 and return with the money. When William returned the stranger was not there. So after waiting for two hours he went to the Morrisania Police Station, where he handed the $40 to Lieutenant Dennis Murphy and told his story.

The police called up the Melrose Theatre. By this time Graham had returned and found that the package contained only paper. Graham gave William $5 and the orchestra leader handed him another dollar, and detectives found the boy a job.

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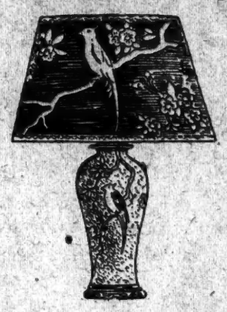

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Chinese Porcelain lamp, resting on a cast metal base, comes in the yellow color only. This is the style of lamp that will blend with any home decorative effects. The height is 17 inches. The 10 in. shade is crystalline, with a bird and flower decoration. Complete,

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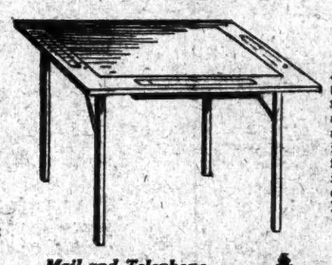

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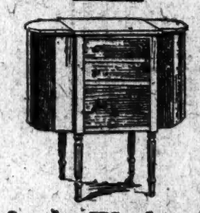

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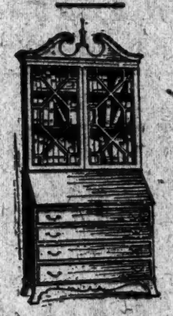

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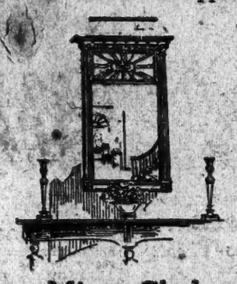

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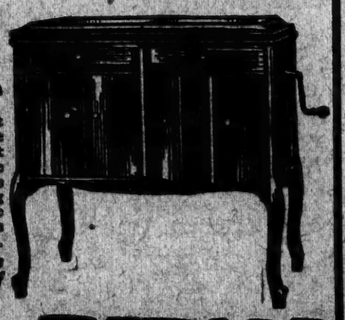

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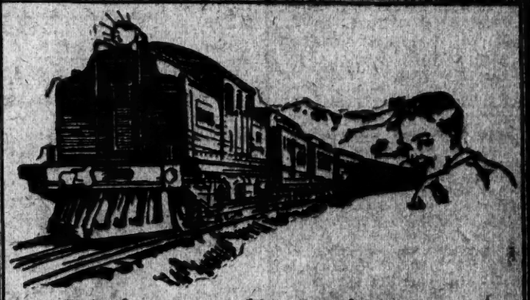

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## AN APPEAL

ADELPHI COLLEGE, the only woman's college in Brooklyn, needs $115,000 to complete an endowment of $1,000,000. If this amount is not raised by December 31 of this year the college will lose $300,000 from the General Education Board of the Rockefeller Foundation, and $94,000 already pledged on the condition that the entire $1,000,000 be subscribed.

This is a critical situation, and we appeal to you, and to all the people of Greater New York and Long Island, for immediate and generous response to this call for financial help.

All Manhattan colleges are overcrowded. Ninety per cent. of the graduates of Adelphi become teachers in the public schools system of the city. Unless Adelphi can expand it will soon be necessary to send young women seeking college training outside the City of New York.

Will you not help to save $394,000 and complete Adelphi's Endowment Fund?

Checks may be sent to Clinton L. Rossiter, Treasurer, Adelphi College, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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# WARTIME CHARGES REVIVED IN SUIT

### Counsel Sue John Simon for Fees in Litigation Over Alleged Pro-German Activities.

### DOCUMENT SETS A RECORD

**About 62,000 Words Used to Outline Defendant's Difficulties With Government.**

*Special to The New York Times.*

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 17.—The alleged activities of John Simon of Long Beach in behalf of the German Government during the World War were reiterated today in a suit filed against him for $80,000.30 counsel fees charged by a firm of Manhattan attorneys for representing him through a long series of legal entanglements in which he was said to have become involved with the United States Government and his former associates. The papers were filed when Supreme Court Justice Tompkins denied the defendant an additional bill of particulars.

The charge is made that Simon and Dr. Heinrich Friederich Albert, who was, according to the plaintiffs, "then acting as commercial agent in the United States for the Imperial German Government," became so acrimonious in a dispute over cotton transactions, involving millions of dollars, that Count Von Bernstorff, then German Ambassador at Washington, was obliged to intervene.

Almost immediately after the entry of the United States into the war, Simon, an American citizen, was arrested at Los Angeles, according to the papers, and "cast into prison as a dangerous alien enemy." Negotiations conducted on his behalf with the Department of Justice resulted in his liberation and the liberation of his bank accounts.

The difficulties which he has had with the Government since that time, due to charges that he owed Albert an amount estimated from $155,000 to $3,000,000, are outlined in the longest legal document ever filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office. It contains more than 350 pages and about 62,000 words, and is sworn to by four plaintiffs, Carl Whitney and Henry A. Wise of New York City, Cola G. Parker of Orange, N. J., and Byrd D. Wise of Riverdale.

One of the lawsuits of Simon involved the purchase of 60,000 bales of cotton and the purchase by Simon of Albert's control in the Interocean & Coastwise Steamship Company. It is said that the sale of a steamship resulted in a claim by Albert of $1,250,000 and that Albert charged Simon had acted in bad faith and had been guilty of a breach of trust.

Mr. Wise, in arguing his motion before Justice Tompkins, said he had furnished a full bill of particulars, but that Simon wanted to know every hour and minute he had spent in court, and that he objected to furnishing such a statement.

# PLANS NEW DIRIGIBLE FOR WORLD FLYING

### *Goodyear Firm Proposes to Build Craft of 10,000,000 Cubic Feet for Non-Stop Globe Flight.*

AKRON, Ohio, Dec. 17.—Construction of a proposed giant dirigible of 5,000,000 cubic feet capacity, twice as large as the Los Angeles, by the Goodyear-Zeppelin Corporation at Akron, is only a step toward development of an airship of dimensions never before considered in air craft construction, P. W. Litchfield, President of the corporation, indicated in a statement today.

A dirigible with 10,000,000 cubic feet capacity, capable of making non-stop flights around the world, probably will be the next job tackled by the corporation after exhaustive tests have been made with the 5,000,000-cubic-foot dirigible, Mr. Litchfield stated.

"A 10,000,000-cubic-foot ship could carry a proportionately greater pay load than a 5,000,000-cubic-foot ship, and could fly around the world in a non-stop flight—could fly it either way, indeed around the equator or around the poles," he said.

"However, it is logical to start first in the intermediate size of a 5,000,000 or 6,000,000-cubic-foot ship and learn what problems are involved before going into the next step."

He declared that taking up the design of the 5,000,000-cubic-foot ship was in itself a new problem.

"This ship will be twice as large as any airship ever built before," he said. "In undertaking the design of a ship, there are various considerations that must be taken into account—whether the first requirements of America would be a military or commercial ship is a primary factor involving many variations in design."

# LINEN SALE BRINGS $14,389.

### Pietro Cattadori Collection Auctioned Off at American Galleries.

Laces and linens of the Pietro Cattadori Collection, brought $14,389 at the sale yesterday afternoon at the American Art Galleries. The last but one of the 277 items in the catalog, No. 276, was acquired by Mrs. Howard McVay for $625. It was a centrepiece and 12 doilies of Venetian rose point.

The final item listed, No. 277, went to Mrs. J. E. Loring for $800. It is a richly embroidered banquet cloth with numerous Venetian rose point and filet motifs and the border of Venetian rose point is in one piece. Mrs. Loring also bought Nos. 228, 258 and 272. The first is a table runner, the linen centre embroidered and having motifs of Venetian rose point along the edges and a filet lace border in one piece; it brought $200. The second, which brought $325, is an oblong luncheon set bordered with fine Venetian rose point with filet motifs and border; and No. 272, bringing $450, is a round tea cloth with elaborately embroidered linen centre having Venetian rose point motifs and a border of the same lace.

# GILBERT ACTS ON TAX.

### Wants Status of Allied 26 Per Cent. Recovery Impost Defined.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—Seymour Parker Gilbert Jr., Agent General for Reparations Payments, who arrived in Paris last evening from Brussels, has written the Reparation Commission asking it to define the status of the reparation recovery act so as to settle how the Dawes annuity shall account for the 26 per cent. tax collected on German goods imported by England and France.

The commission has transmitted the letter to the Governments interested.

### Dr. Franklin Wins Nichols Medal.

The Nichols medal of the New York section of the American Chemical Society for 1924 was won by Dr. Edward Curtis Franklin, Professor of Organic Chemistry in Leland Stanford Jr. University, it was announced yesterday. It was awarded for "the research published during the current year which in the opinion of the jury is most original and stimulative to further research."

# ADELPHI MUST RAISE $115,000 IN 2 WEEKS

### *Will Lose $300,000 Promised Toward $1,000,000 Endowment if It Fails.*

Brooklyn has only two weeks in which to raise $115,000 to complete its $700,000 endowment fund for Adelphi College and thus to get $300,000 promised by the General Education Board to bring that fund to $1,000,000. The completion of this fund is one important step toward creating a university for Brooklyn, and Clinton L. Rossiter, Treasurer of the college, issued this appeal for contributions before Jan. 1:

"Adelphi College is the only non-sectarian degree-conferring woman's college in Brooklyn. Its graduates since 1896, when it was authorized to confer degrees, number more than 1,200. More than 90 per cent. of these have become teachers, most of them in Brooklyn.

"In order to continue progressive development, Adelphi must have an endowment fund of $1,000,000. Two years ago the friends and alumnae of the college raised $450,000 of that sum. The General Education Board has offered the college $300,000 contingent on its raising $700,000 before the end of 1924.

"A recent campaign has placed the total raised by the college at $585,000.

"Adelphi College must raise $115,000 in the next fortnight or stand to lose $300,000. Brooklyn will also lose the money—Brooklyn with its population of 2,250,000, its 46,381 high school pupils, its many industries, its considerable wealth. Brooklyn will remain the 'educational scandal' which it has been for so long.

"Brooklyn wants a university. It is the only city of great size in the country which lacks one. Recently James H. Post, one of the leading citizens of Brooklyn, offered $59,000 toward a fund for a new university, provided that Brooklyn complete the Adelphi College endowment. This sum as well as $300,000 hangs in the balance.

"Many Brooklyn boys and girls attend Manhattan colleges and universities, but these are already overcrowded. Presently, unless Brooklyn makes educational progress, it will find itself a city which cannot provide higher education for its children without sending them out of the city. Completion of the Adelphi College fund is the first step away from such a condition.

"Brooklyn must raise $115,000 before 1924 closes."

# SHOOTS HIS FIANCEE WITH PISTOL HE FOUND

### *Chauffeur Is Showing Weapon to Girl When It Is Discharged —Her Condition Critical.*

Lottie Tucker, 17, probably was fatally wounded last night when a revolver which her fiancé was showing to her accidentally was discharged, and sent a bullet through her breast.

About three weeks ago Lottie's mother went to Richmond, Va. The daughter was engaged to Morris Katz, a chauffeur living on the second floor of 88 Essex Street. They wanted to be married, and were just waiting for Morris to save sufficient money, so Morris's mother proposed that Lottie make her home with them until everything was ready for the wedding.

Last night Morris returned from work about 10 o'clock. Passing a delicatessen store at 37 Essex Street, he accidentally kicked over a basket filled with trash, and a .32-calibre revolver fell out. Morris picked up the pistol and hurried upstairs. He found Lottie lying on a sofa reading a book. Leaning over her he produced the pistol and said: "Look what I just found."

Lottie made an attempt to sit up, and there was a report. The pistol dropped from Morris's hand. For a moment he did not realize what had happened, then he saw a big red stain on the front of Lottie's shirtwaist. Other members of the family hurried into the parlor. There was a knock at the door; it opened, and a policeman entered.

An ambulance was called and Lottie sent to Gouverneur Hospital. Morris was locked up in Clinton Street Police Station charged with unlawful possession of a revolver. If the girl dies the police say the charge may be changed to homicide.

# 'ALDERMAN FOR PRESIDENT.'

### Upshaw Tells House How His Wilson Eulogy Inspired Him.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, President of the University of Virginia, who delivered the eulogy of Woodrow Wilson before Congress yesterday, was today suggested by Representative Upshaw of Georgia as the next President.

"I kept saying in my soul, 'Why not make that man President of the United States?'" said Representative Upshaw to the House today.

"Are we bound," he continued, "by the unwritten dictum of sectional bias that he would have to move to New Jersey or Massachusetts or Ohio in order to place him on the eligible list? Surely, if those super-Virginians—Washington and Jefferson, Madison and Monroe, Tyler and Wilson—rule us from their urns we should rejoice to place this premier scholar-statesman where his princely powers and Alpine personality would stir the pride of all American patriots, regardless of party lines."

# WOMAN DRANK CYANIDE.

### Autopsy Shows Wife of Composer Died of Poisoning.

An autopsy held yesterday over the body of Mrs. Dorothy Stothart, who committed suicide Tuesday in her apartment at 9 Pomander Walk, showed that death was due to cyanide poisoning, according to Dr. Alexander O. Gettler, toxicologist of Bellevue Hospital. Mrs. Stothart was the wife of Herbert Stothart, a musical composer. Funeral services will be held from the Second Presbyterian Church, Ninety-sixth Street and Central Park West, this morning. The Rev. Dr. Charles Russell will officiate.

Dr. Charles Norris, Chief Medical Examiner, said yesterday that he is satisfied that death was due to cyanide poisoning. It is believed the woman drank shoe polish. Captain Arthur Carey, head of the Homicide Squad, said that no further investigation was contemplated.

### London Negroes to Honor Lincoln.

By Wireless to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Negroes whose forebears were slaves in the Southern States will place one of a number of wreaths at the base of Abraham Lincoln's statue in Parliament Square, Westminster, tomorrow, upon the anniversary of the abolition of slavery in 1865. Among others who will lay wreaths are representatives of the English-Speaking Union, the Sulgrave Institution and the Mayor of Richmond, which town is associated with Richmond, Va.

### Penn Letter Brings £310 at Sotheby's.

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By Wireless to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—At today's end of the two day sale of books and manuscripts at Sotheby's an autograph letter from William Penn fetched £310.


# More Modern than the ZR-3!

## *The Eight New Otis Elevators at Wanamaker's*

EIGHT new elevators in the New Rotunda Building at Wanamaker's serving the Christmas crowds. Eight new elevators, most modern in New York. Eight new elevators, combining all of the latest improvements that make for safety, service, and speed.

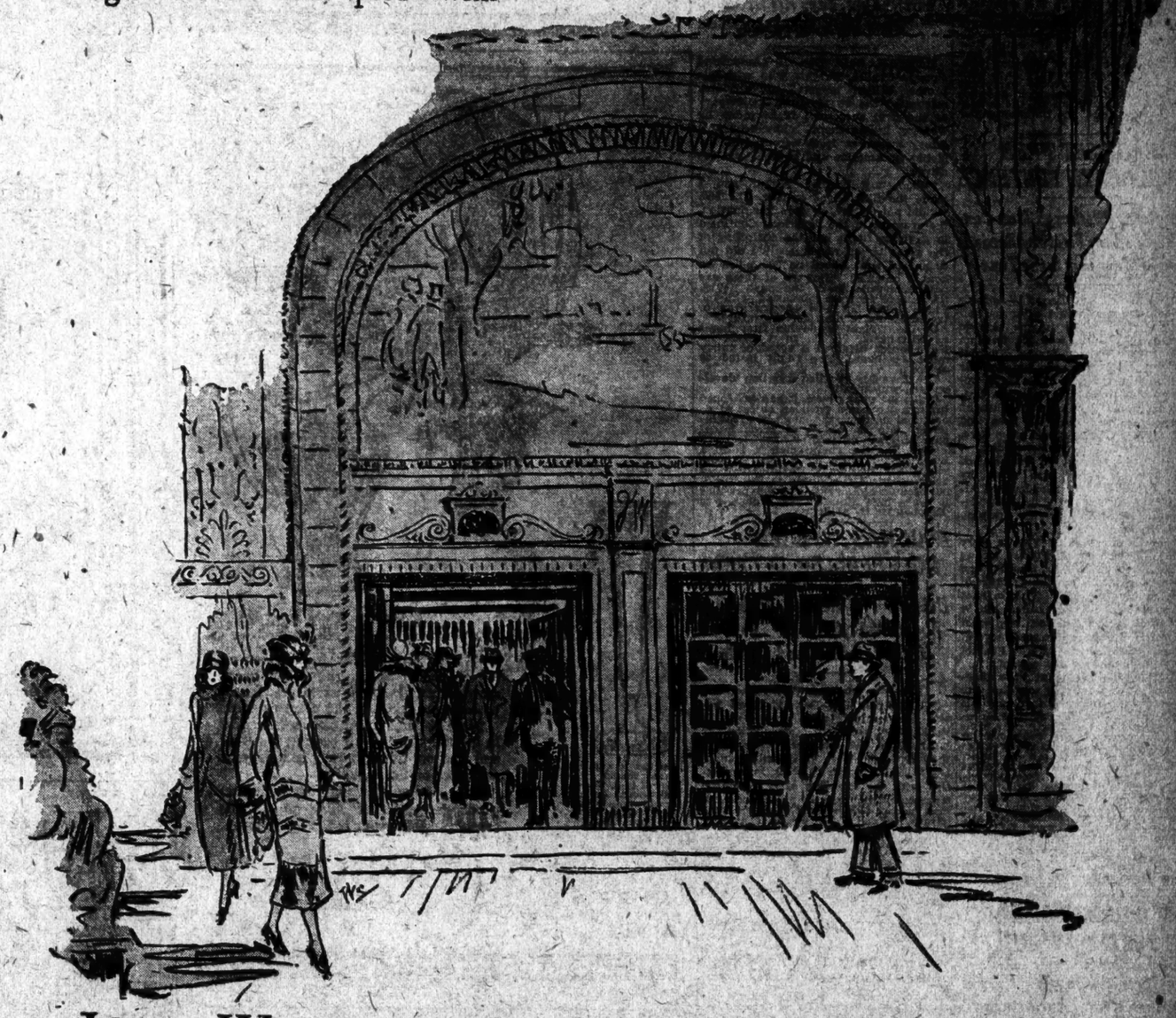
*Safety* New floor-leveling devices bring the floor of the car flush with the outside floor before passengers can alight. There is no danger of tripping, no need to watch your step. You can't be hurt.

*Service* New knife-like folding doors that open outward the full width of the car permit easy and rapid ingress and egress. Nowhere are there doors like these except at Wanamaker's.

*Speed* New unit multi-voltage control, gearless cars mean speed—without discomfort. There is no jolting or jarring, no sudden spurt and attendant quick stop. "It's like riding in a Zeppelin," as one man aptly put it after gliding up swiftly in one of the cars.

Such beautiful things they are, these cars! The best examples of Spanish, English, French, and Italian architecture were carefully scrutinized—and from these old masterpieces comes the inspiration for the car interiors. "Never before have we built cars like them," said one of the Otis officials.

The new cars are needed at Wanamaker's. There are 44 elevators now in service—needed to care for the great crowds coming to the Christmas Store of New York. All through the year Wanamaker's has shown larger increases in business, month by month, than the average increase in all other New York Stores reported to the Federal Reserve. And these new elevators handle the multitudes swiftly, deftly, modernly.



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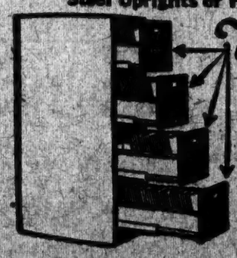

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# MAY 1 TO SEE AUTOS ON BROOKLYN BRIDGE

### Passenger Traffic Will Be Resumed by Then, Says Commissioner Mills.

### REPAIRS TO START DEC. 26

### Work Will Begin on South Roadway —Special Trolley Schedule Is Arranged.

Brooklyn Bridge, after a thorough reconstruction of its roadways, will be reopened, probably before May 1, to passenger automobile traffic, horse-drawn traffic and newspaper delivery wagons, according to a statement made yesterday by William Wirt Mills, Commissioner of the Department of Plant and Structures. Work will be begun on the south roadway and then the north roadway will be similarly rebuilt, Commissioner Mills said.

"This department, in connection with the operators of the trolley cars on the Brooklyn Bridge, will begin the reconstruction of the south roadway of the main span on Dec. 26. The work will consist of the removal of the present surface car four-inch rails and plank deck, substituting therefor a seven-inch rail laid on ties and a wood block pavement to be supported on a four-inch under deck.

"On account of the width of the roadway, 18 feet 9 inches, it will be impracticable to do the work and at the same time provide for vehicular traffic. During the progress of the work on this south roadway it is proposed to divert the south roadway eastbound traffic to the Manhattan Bridge.

"The railroad company will continue its trolley car operation, using both tracks on the bridge, from 4 P. M. each day until 9 A. M. the following day. Between the hours of 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. the trolley traffic on the south roadway will be discontinued and a shuttle car service, provided on the north roadway, where passengers will be transferred at the Brooklyn terminal of the bridge to the various trolley lines now crossing this bridge. This shuttle service will consist of three trolley cars in one train in order that as many passengers as possible can be accommodated.

"By doing the work in this manner it will require from six to eight weeks completely to reconstruct this south roadway, depending on weather conditions. It would require twice the time at least to attempt to do the work and carry vehicular traffic at the same time.

"As soon as both roadways have been completed it is my purpose to permit them to be used by passenger automobile traffic, in addition to the horse-drawn traffic, and by the newspaper delivery wagons."

## SLAYER IS SET FREE AFTER DEATH SENTENCE

### Court Rules Pittsburgh Man Cannot Be Tried for First and Second Degree Murder at Same Time.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 17.—Appealing to the Federal Court after he had been sentenced to die in the electric chair, Joseph Valotta won his freedom today, when United States District Judge W. H. E. Thomson ordered his discharge from custody. The Court upheld Valotta's contention that his constitutional rights were violated when he was tried on two charges, first and second degree murder, at the same time, the jury returning a double verdict.

Notice of an appeal to the United States Supreme Court was given by District Attorney S. H. Gardner of Allegheny County. Valotta will be detained on a bench warrant charging manslaughter.

The indictments against Valotta were returned in connection with the killing of Patrolman Edward Couch and Thomas Hopkins, a striking railroad worker, in October, 1922. Valotta shot Hopkins when the latter called him a "scab" and killed the officer who went in pursuit. He was granted several respites by Governor Gifford Pinchot pending disposition of the appeal.

Judge Thomson held that "the time-honored right of a prisoner to a separate trial on each indictment involving his life, which has been recognized for centuries, upheld by the courts as a continuous expression of the consciousness of the people, unchanged in the progress and development of the law, is basic, fundamental and absolute, and involved in the very conception of free government. * * * Being thus denied that due process of law guaranteed to every citizen under the Constitution, it follows that the court's proceedings and judgment against him were null and void, and the relator is held in custody in violation of the Constitution of the United States."

The case was carried to the Federal Court by counsel for Valotta, who petitioned for a writ of habeas corpus.

## FIRST ORDERED VERDICT IN JERSEY IS 'GUILTY'

### Judge Instructs Jury to Convict Patient Who Ran Amuck and Shot Two.

Judge Daniel T. O'Regan, in the Hudson County Court of Quarter Sessions, Jersey City, directed a jury yesterday to return a verdict of guilty in the trial of Stephen Urban of 172 Ninth Street, Jersey City, on two charges of atrocious assault and battery. The case was unique in that it was the first time a Judge in New Jersey, according to veteran court attaches, had ever ordered a verdict, and that Judge O'Regan refused to consider a plea of mental derangement because it was based upon intoxication, which is not admissible as a defense in New Jersey.

Urban shot and seriously wounded Patrolman Dennis J. O'Brien of the Jersey City police and Michael J. Ryan, an orderly, on Nov. 8, 1923, while a patient at the Greenville Hospital in Jersey City. Both appeared as complainants. O'Brien, who was wounded in the spine, was brought into the court-room on a stretcher, and it is said that he is crippled for life. Ryan recovered.

Prior to the shooting Urban, who was confined for alcoholic gastritis, had tried to jump out of a window and otherwise acted in such a manner that the hospital asked for a police guard, and O'Brien was assigned. Urban wrested with the officer, obtained the latter's revolver, and ran amuck. Urban admitted the shootings, but argued that he was temporarily insane.

### Many Hear New Denver Station.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Dec. 17.—The new General Electric broadcasting station KOA, at Denver, Col., opened Monday night, has been heard in every State in the Union except West Virginia, Mississippi and Tennessee, it was announced here today. The greatest distance reported was Hawaii, 5,500 miles.

## REPORT COMMENDS BEDFORD REFORMATORY

### Inspectors Find Girls Better Cared For and Say No Complaints Were Made.

*Special to The New York Times.*

ALBANY, Dec. 17.—Conditions at the State Reformatory for Women in Bedford Hills continue to improve, according to the report of Cecilia D. Patten and Philip G. Roosa, chief clerk of the Commission of Prisons, whose report of an inspection made there recently has just been approved by the commission.

"We believe," concludes the report, "that conditions in general continue to improve and see no reason, if the proper aid is given, why the good work now being done cannot finally reach the goal aimed at by the management. There is certainly a large field in which to work."

At the time of the inspection there were 238 women and 29 babies there. The disciplinary building is now used only for the storage of inmates' clothing. The cottages were all found clean and in good condition, excepting that here and there painting was needed.

The report adds:

"When a girl is received at the institution, her clothing is taken. It is cleaned, repaired, placed in ticking covers and hung up, and receipted for by the inmate. It frequently happens that when a girl is discharged she does not wish to wear the clothing worn when committed and buys a new outfit. The discarded clothing is given by her to some less fortunate inmate, who would rather have it than the very neat outgoing suit which is furnished by the State.

"A great deal of work is done here—hats are trimmed, hosiery cared for, &c. When an inmate is discharged, her institution clothing is turned in by the matron in charge of the cottage; she receives her own clothing or a new outfit, as the case may be, and then is sent to the office and checked out."

The inmates have canned and preserved a great of the products of the farm, which this year had its greatest productivity. Classes have also been most satisfactory. The works of the arts and crafts is commended. The discipline is good. The report says:

"There is apparently extremely good feeling between the officers and the inmates. One very noticeable fact was that no criticisms or complaints were made by the officers or the girls. This is most unusual."

## WRIGHT WORKS IN SHOP ON PLANE'S BIRTHDAY

### Inventor, on 21st Anniversary of First Flight, Says His Dreams Have Been Surpassed.

DAYTON, Ohio, Dec. 17 (Associated Press).—Orville Wright, who with his brother Wilbur invented the airplane, celebrated the twenty-first anniversary of the first successful flight today by working in his shop. Many congratulatory messages from aeronautical societies in America and abroad were received.

"When my brother Wilbur and I made the first flight on Dec. 17, 1903, we did not picture, even in imagination, the crossing of the American Continent in a single flight nor the encircling of the globe by an airplane. We did not dream of such speed as 266 miles an hour," he said. "But all of these are now achievements of the past. With the rate of progress increasing with the years, I am not bold enough even to try to predict a limit for the future."

Orville Wright made his first flight at Kittyhawk, N. C., in a crude biplane which attained a speed of thirty miles an hour. The flight lasted 59 seconds.

The inventor recalled aviation development whimsically.

"Like the young man, it has developed through the years from an object of no practical usefulness, though of great interest, into an object of great latent possibilities," he said.

"But like the young man it is in a sense now looking for a job. It possesses the necessary qualifications of being of great usefulness to the world, but because of its youth and inexperience it has a hard time getting a chance to demonstrate its abilities."

## MAN HAS ALLEGED ROCKEFELLER LETTERS

### Held in Philadelphia With One About '$50,000,000' Deal—Other Is Addressed to Ford.

*Special to The New York Times.*

PHILADELPHIA—Dec. 17.—Two letters purporting to come from John D. Rockefeller, one an introduction to Henry Ford and the other dealing with the alleged purchase by the oil magnate of $10,000,000 worth of stock in connection with the founding of a $50,000,000 trust company, were in possession of a man held in $800 bail for court by Magistrate Holland today on the charge of fraud in issuing a $50 check.

The prisoner said he is Emory E. Winsor of St. Louis. He said his uncle is Henry Winsor, a friend of Rockefeller. He was held despite vigorous denials that he is guilty of any fraud and his assertion that "the banking scheme is on the level."

## TO HASTEN REVALUATION.

### President Expected to Favor Completing the Work in Two Years.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The recommendation of the Interstate Commerce Commission that the physical valuation of railroads be completed in the next two years appears likely to receive the support of President Coolidge.

Senators who discussed the subject with him today came away with the impression that the President viewed the work as of prime importance in connection with basic rate making and the collection of sums due under the recapture clause of the Transportation act.

Additional appropriation of $1,270,000 is estimated by the commission as necessary for continuance of the work during the next fiscal year, with $1,778,000 required in the year following.

After Chairman Cummins had conferred with Mr. Coolidge, the Interstate Commerce Committee approved the Cummins resolution, "earnestly requesting" Budget Director Lord to review the allotment made for valuation work, with a view to approving the sums recommended by the commission.

### First Princeton Club Scholarship.

*Special to The New York Times.*

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 17.—The Undergraduate Scholarship Committee of Yale University announces the selection of Edward Cajetan Bench, class of 1925, of Galena, Ill., as the first recipient of the Princeton Club of New York Scholarship. In accordance with the provisions of the scholarship, Bench is chosen because "of his outstanding character, personality and capacity for leadership and service as evidenced by excellence in scholarship, athletics and other undergraduate activities."

### Operate on Mrs. Magnus Johnson.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 17.—Mrs. Magnus Johnson, wife of Senator Johnson, underwent an operation here today and was reported to be "resting comfortably." She was taken seriously ill at her home at Kimball last week.

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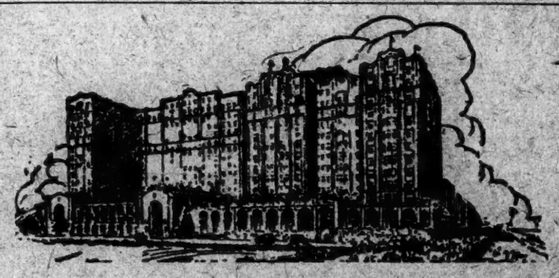

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# CALL NEW WITNESSES IN ROGERS INQUIRY

### Investigators Want Yale Graduate Who Met Miss Schneider at Inn.

### HER STORY NOW DOUBTED

### North Haven Prosecutor Does Not Believe Pole Caused Companion's Fatal Injury.

*Special to The New York Times.*

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 17.—State police and North Haven officials who are conducting jointly an investigation into the manner of the death of Charles G. Rogers, nephew of Mrs. Ogden Mills Reid, have called nearly a dozen more witnesses for the hearing which is to be resumed at North Haven tomorrow.

They are eager for the presence of Wardwell Jones, the Yale graduate who was attentive to Miss Marjorie Schneider when he was a student, and who met Miss Schneider and Rogers at the Long Hill Inn at Wallingford an hour before Rogers's senseless body was found on the North Haven Turnpike in the automobile driven by Miss Schneider.

It is feared that efforts to induce Jones to appear voluntarily may prove unsuccessful, but the officials expect the appearance of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pierce of Meriden, who took Jones to the inn. They will be asked particularly about Jones's actions after he met Miss Schneider, who left Rogers's table and went outside the inn to talk with Jones.

Mrs. Ruth Hulse, who met Miss Schneider at the inn and also on the North Haven Turnpike just after Miss Schneider cried for help, will be called again, although her statement that Miss Schneider said that Rogers had attacked her in the automobile, that she had pushed him away and was afraid she had killed him, is not regarded as deeply significant.

Miss Schneider has expected she would be called for cross-examination on her story that Rogers leaned out of the automobile and struck something, but the North Haven officials will not admit that they expect to call her. All the doctors and internes at the New Haven General Hospital, where Rogers was taken and lived an hour, have been asked to appear.

A mysterious new witness, said to be Albert O. Gates of this city, has been summoned. It was reported tonight that after Miss Schneider and Mrs. Hulse were stopped by the police and taken to the Cedar Hill Station she went to the telephone and called up Gates. He refuses to admit that he was called by Miss Schneider or that he will testify tomorrow.

Ward Church, Prosecutor of the town of North Haven, said tonight he was convinced that Rogers did not receive his fatal injury by striking his head against a telephone pole. Coroner Mix in his report accepted Miss Schneider's story.

The four boys who were in a gray car seen near Miss Schneider's are expected to testify tomorrow. One of them has asserted that there was a third person in the car with Miss Schneider and Rogers.

Christmas is but seven days away and the HUNDRED NEEDIEST CASES will remain the neediest unless you help.

# DEFENDS PARADING FOR CIVIL LIBERTIES

### R. N. Baldwin, Held as Rioter, Called the Meeting Paterson's Police Barred.

### THEN SOUGHT COURT REVIEW

### Says Chief Objected to Denouncing of Coolidge, So He Replied, "John W. Davis Is Doing It."

*Special to The New York Times.*

PATERSON, N. J., Dec. 17.—Roger N. Baldwin of the American Civil Liberties Union, on trial before Judge Joseph A. Delaney in Special Sessions here as one of eight persons indicted for unlawful assemblage, took the stand today. He and his codefendants are charged with having precipitated a riot in front of the City Hall when they held a parade and mass meeting on Oct. 6 last to further the cause of the silk strikers. The defendants have waived their right to jury trial.

Baldwin took full responsibility for the meeting, saying it was part of the tactics of his organization to defy efforts to prevent meetings and thus force such cases into the courts. He said the strikers had hired a hall, but that the police had promptly thrown a cordon around the place so they could not enter. Within three minutes after the parade arrived in front of the City Hall, he testified, the police rushed the meeting and began clubbing right and left. Baldwin was not arrested at the time, and when he tried to follow those who were taken to the police station his entry there was barred, he said.

Next day, according to his testimony, he went to the station and saw Chief John M. Tracey, who told him the police objected to the meetings because the speakers were denouncing President Coolidge. Baldwin said he answered, "Why, that's nothing; John W. Davis is doing it every day." Later in the conversation, the witness said, he told Chief Tracey that Tracey talked as if he were the censor and the law. "I am," was Tracey's answer, according to the witness. Baldwin also testified Chief Tracey threatened to force him to kiss the American flag in front of City Hall and that he answered, "My own mother couldn't make me do that if I didn't want to."

On cross-examination Baldwin admitted he had been imprisoned a year for defying the draft law, but insisted that he was not averse to marching behind the American flag. He denied that he ever had marched behind the red flag.

John Butterworth, local Socialist Labor leader, who was arrested after he had addressed the meeting to the extent of saying, "Fellow Citizens," also testified.

Ernest A. Shea of The Newark News corroborated Baldwin's version of the conversation with Chief Tracey, which the Chief had denied at a previous session.

Judge Delaney dismissed the indictments against two defendants, Charles Soyak and Stanley Alutonis, on the ground that they should have been charged with resisting an officer rather than unlawful assemblage.

The trial was continued until Friday afternoon.


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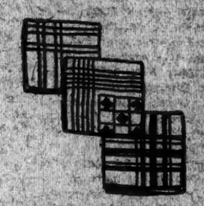

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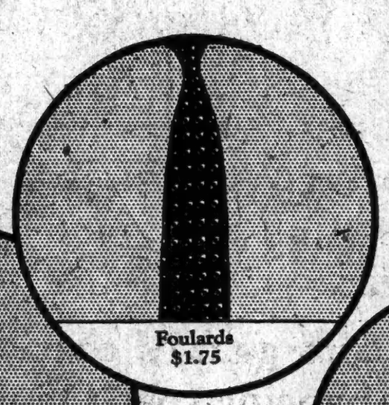

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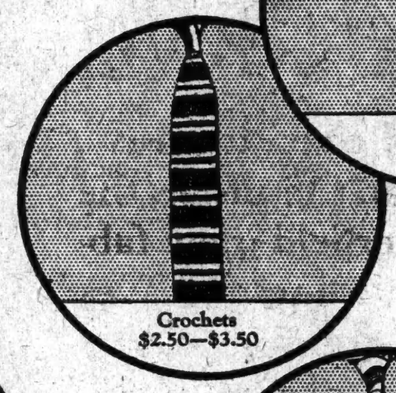

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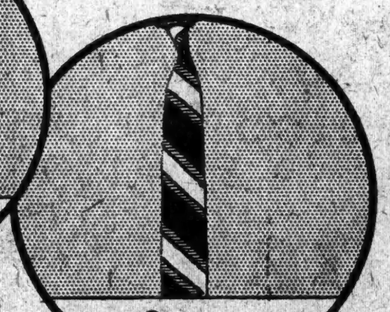

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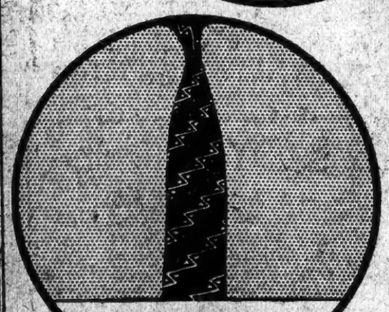

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The Senator from Idaho, William E. Borah, reached his commanding position in the Senate by playing a lone hand through seventeen years at the capital. A. F. Ulm describes the Senator's picturesque career, from his start as a strong Roosevelt-ian to his present powerful tactical position as Senator Lodge's successor at the head of the Committee on Foreign Relations, and the one man to whom all groups might turn for leadership.

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An unusually intimate picture of the details of ruling an Empire is given in the fourth instalment of the series on the life of Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria. The Emperor spent from twelve to sixteen hours a day at his desk, amassing a wealth of matter such as no clipping bureau expert could surpass. Further characteristics of the Emperor are revealed—his cautious nature, his jealousy.

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A wandering American describes three unusual Christmas seasons which he spent in faraway corners of the world, combining carols and a murderer; Yuletide in the crosstrees; the doll that won Fautina, in Konia, the city of the whirling dervishes.

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Eugene O'Neill's early days among "all the outcast brethren of 'dat ole davil sea'" are discussed by Louis Kalonyme, who shows how the characters in the playwright's seafaring plays had their counterparts in the forecastles of tramp steamers and cattle boats.

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A full-page reproduction of drawing "Her Christmas Eve, One of the Hundred Neediest Cases," given by Arthur William Brown as his contribution to The Times Hundred Neediest Cases.

*ROTOGRAVURE-PICTURE SECTION*

A group portrait shows the First Lady of the Land in a new role. Mrs. Coolidge appears in cap and gown on the occasion when Boston University conferred the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws upon her. The others in the picture are Mrs. Ida Ripley of the Women's Graduate Club of the University, Mrs. Everett O. Fisk of the Board of Trustees, Dr. Lemuel H. Murlin, President, and Dr. Marion Talbot, Dean of Women of the University.

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The weapons used in the endeavor to make the ocean "dry," anchored off Atlantic City: Squadron of capital ships which will seek to stop the flow of illegal cheer at Christmas.

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Girl employes in the Wrigley Building, Chicago, taking part in a memorial ceremony of the Chicago Historical Society, when roses were thrown from the windows in memory of Pere Marquette and Louis Joliet, first of the voyageurs.

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Scene in the Sistine Chapel of the Vatican, at the funeral service for the repose of the soul of Cardinal Logue, who died recently in Dublin.

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# PSYCHIC 'MARGERY' WARMLY DEFENDED

### Husband, Dr. Crandon, Attacks Investigators for The Scientific American.

### SOME ONE USED A 'PLANT'

**Committeemen Accused of Trying to Prevent Phenomena and of Distrusting Each Other.**

Dr. L. R. G. Crandon of Boston, husband of "Margery," who for eight months has been under investigation by a committee of experts chosen in connection with The Scientific American's offer of $5,000 for proof of psychic phenomena, attacks the committee in the January number of that magazine, asserting that, instead of being receptive to facts, the committee actually sought to prevent psychic phenomena occurring and that in two instances one member laid a "plant" to discredit the medium.

Dr. Crandon's statement is in the nature of a reply to a "Report of Progress" made by the committee in the November issue of the publication. He asserts that the committee is hopelessly divided and that it has surrounded "this mediumship with the acrid atmosphere of their distrust of each other," and he suggests that it change its name to "The Scientific American's Committee for the Prevention of Psychic Phenomena."

After quoting the committee's own official records to show that phenomena were produced under conditions of "perfect control" of the medium, Dr. Crandon discloses the fact that the Society for Psychical Research of London is beginning a study of the case.

**Tells of a "Plant."**

While Dr. Crandon does not accuse Houdini, who is a member of the committee, it is believed that he does refer to the handcuff man in his criticism of conditions that he terms were a "plant." Houdini's contribution to the "Report of Progress" was a statement that "everything which took place at the seances which I attended was a conscious and deliberate fraud."

The committee, Dr. Crandon says, could not be improved upon "on paper," but experience showed that the committee had "certain bad qualities," chief of which were an "entire lack of harmony and confidence." Its members are William McDougall, Professor of Psychology at Harvard; Walter F. Prince, chief research officer of the American Society for Psychical Research; Hereward Carrington, psychic investigator and writer; Dr. Daniel F. Comstock, physicist at the Massachu tts Institute of Technology; Harry Houdini and Malcolm Bird of The Scientific American.

"Houdini," Dr. Crandon says, "will not trust Dr. Carrington and Mr. Bird. Carrington and Bird return the compliment. At a committee sitting Dr. McDougall assures the circle that he has perfect control of the medium's left arm and leg; whereupon Dr. Prince says 'Of course I know nothing of that'."

Dr. Prince, he says, should be a committee of one; Dr. Comstock is trying to find the laws before he finds the facts, that he may write the final chapter of psychical research; Carrington's statement of conviction that psychic phenomena had been produced is called "honest," and in reply to "another member," evidently Houdini, Dr. Crandon prints the signed record of occurrences when control by the committee was "perfect."

**"Atmosphere of Hatred."**

"Any one who has studied this subject," Dr. Crandon continues, "knows that results vary directly as the amount of harmony among the sitters. We are constantly enjoined to be cheerful and relax. The wonder is that there has bee nany semblance of success, considering the atmosphere of distrust, criticism and hatred that has been exhibited by the committee.

"The November report covers more than ninety seances, at which we have submitted to every condition of control suggested. At each of the seances two or more committee members have been present. Of these sitting we have their signed notes. Practically always the expression 'control perfect' precedes and follows the description of phenomena. We have used their apparatus exclusively. Whenever requested we have sat in their quarters. Every condition of control they have dictated. The members have testified in writing to the occurrence of thirty varieties of phenomena.

"Apart from the committee, first and last, 140 people have sat with us. They include ministers, doctors, lawyers, men and women of education and experience and of all creeds. Only one person has suggested fraud.

**Cites Bell-Box Phenomena.**

"The committee's bell-box has been rung in the presence of Dr. McDougall, in red light, the box raised above the table and carried seven feet across the room, still ringing, by Dr. Elwood Worcester, and the space around, above and below the box thoroughly traversed by Dr. McDougall. The bell-box has been rung in daylight while the psychic's four extremities have been controlled by Dr. Prince, no other person being present. The box was in Dr. Prince's lap.

"In spite of these evidential happenings, Dr. Prince is still unconvinced, to the degree, at any rate, that he is willing to commit himself affirmatively. Frankly, we wonder if it is possible to convince him. We do our best to meet his conditions, only to be met each time by new conditions.

"Later in the Summer two sittings were held, the psychic sitting in a box made by a member of the committee. The committee was denied examination of this box. The box was not even left in the committee's quarters overnight. The owner of the box refused to leave it in Boston for further tests.

**Trap for the Medium.**

"At one of these two sittings a 'plant' was found which sought to prevent phenomena. At the other a 'plant' was found which, undiscovered till later, would have forever discredited the psychic. Whose was the motive and whose the exclusive opportunity to make these 'plants' I will not name. No one in that room those nights had any doubt. Whoever made the 'plants' is not interested in psychic research. All members of the committee present, who observed these acts without comment or disavowal, had, in my opinion, a duty as gentlemen, which still continues, to state frankly to the public what happened and the circumstances thereof."

Dr. Crandon submits an alleged psychic photograph, taken under test conditions, he says, and The Scientific American publishes it. It shows a luminous blotch in front of a medium at a seance and what appear to be hands reaching out, one to ring a bell, another, the hand of a child, to hold the finger of one of the sitters.

# UNWED MOTHER, 17, FREED FROM JAIL

### Anne Nichols, Playwright, Provides $1,000 Bail for Girl Who Abandoned Her Child.

### TO WED ITS FATHER TODAY

**Couple Will Then Tell Grand Jury How Poverty Made Them Desert Baby.**

Through the generosity of Miss Anne Nichols, the dramatist, Helen Vineski, seventeen-year-old unmarried mother, will celebrate Christmas at liberty and will be married to William Froewiss, father of her child, instead of remaining a prisoner in the Raymond Street (Brooklyn) Jail.

Miss Nichols arranged yesterday for the release of the girl and deposited the $1,000 bail under which Helen had been held to await the action of the Grand Jury.

Helen and Froewiss were arrested a several days ago after their two months' old child was found in the hallway of a Brooklyn tenement house. According to the police, the young couple confessed that they were unable to support the child and had left it in the hallway in the hope that it would be found by kind-hearted persons who would be able to care for it. Both were held for the Grand Jury and a few days ago Froewiss was released on bail. The girl was unable to obtain bail until Miss Nichols read in the newspapers of her plight and supplied the funds.

The baby, Wilhelmina, is in the foundling ward of the Kings County Hospital.

Helen left the jail accompanied by Mrs. Mary Valentine of the Catholic Big Sisters. They went direct to the place where Froewiss has found employment, and he joined them on a visit to the Marriage License Bureau.

Because Helen was under the legal age it was necessary to obtain her mother's consent to the marriage. At the Greenpoint Hospital, where Mrs. Vineski is a patient, her signature was affixed to the necessary papers, and today at the Brooklyn Borough Hall the couple will be married by the Rev. Joseph Conway, rector of the Roman Catholic Church of Our Lady of Mercy.

Instead of a wedding reception the couple will go immediately to the Kings County Court House, where they will appear before the Grand Jury. There they will tell the grand jurors why they abandoned the baby.

They will tell them of the courtship that has existed for several years and how they were unable to be married because Froewiss earned only $25 a week and had to support his parents and how Helen worked for $17 a week to support her invalid mother and three children.

## EXPECT ATLANTA CHANGES.

**Stone Considers Putting In New Set of Prison Officials.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Appointment of an entirely new set of officials at the Atlanta Federal Prison is being considered by Attorney General Stone as a result of preliminary investigation into conditions there.

Mr. Stone said today that among those considered as a successor to A. E. Sartain, the deposed warden, was Warden Whitman of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet.

He declined to say how much of a house cleaning of the Atlanta staff would be made. Two officials already have been removed—Warden Sartain and D. J. Allen, prison purchasing agent.

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 17.—John L. Whitman, warden of the Illinois State Penitentiary, said today:

"If offered the wardenship of the Federal penitentiary, my first consideration would be to the State of Illinois."

## HUNGARY'S LOSS RECORDED.

**Karolyi and Bela Kun Regimes Cost State 8,525,000,000 Crowns.**

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BUDAPEST, Dec. 17.—The fiscal accounts of the last few years, which were presented in Parliament yesterday, give interesting figures showing what Hungary's various régimes have cost the State. In spite of the apparent surplus during both the Karolyi revolution in 1918 and the Bolshevist regime of 1919, the total losses amounted to 8,525,000,000 crowns, valued in 1919 crowns (about a fourth of the gold crown).

Whereas Karolyi obtained money by forced credits and advances from banks, Bela Kun printed illegal notes at the Postal Savings Bank and the Austro-Hungarian Bank.

## RED BANK CAPITAL DOUBLED

**Soviet Finance Chief Announces Increase to 100,000,000 Gold Rubles.**

MOSCOW, Dec. 17 (Associated Press).—M. Sokolnikov, Soviet Finance Commissioner, announced today that the Government would increase the capital of the State Bank from 50,000,000 to 100,000,000 gold rubles and would authorize the bank to grant industrial and State institutions credits up to 40,000,000 gold rubles and more if required.

These measures, the Finance Commissioner explained, were necessary to stimulate foreign trade operations and encourage further imports into the country. He said:

"Owing to the refusal of England to grant us a loan, we shall be forced more and more to defend our own resources and build up credits by our own forces. We, therefore, must increase the credit capacity of our State institutions, especially the State Bank. Russia is faced with the necessity of struggling against great odds in the financial and economic establishment of the country."

**Boy, 8, Accidentally Shoots Sister.**

WILLIMANTIC, Conn., Dec. 17.—While playing with a loaded shotgun in the momentary absence of his parents, John Belogh, aged 8, accidentally shot his sister, Elizabeth, aged 6, at their home in Ashford, twelve miles from here, last night. Medical Examiner P. B. Converse of Willington, who was called, reported to the Coroner.


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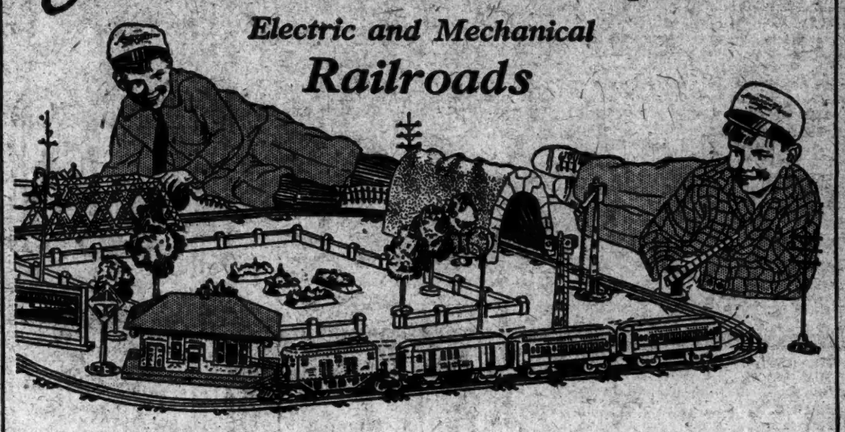

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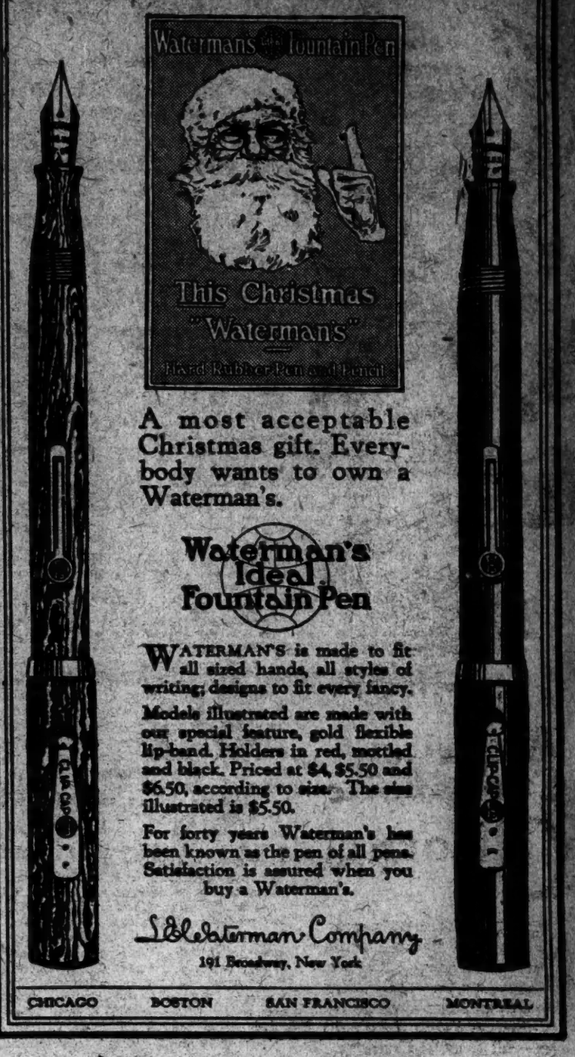


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# 'NOT GUILTY' MOTION BY FORBES REFUSED

## Defense in Veterans' Bureau Conspiracy Trial Puts First Witness on Stand.

## SHE TELLS OF PONTIAC BID

### Government, in Closing, Submits Story of Defendants' Party With Actresses Here.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17 (Associated Press).—The prosecution closed in the Veterans' Bureau Hospital contract conspiracy trial today with another story of "a general, social good time," in a New York hotel in which Charles R. Forbes, former director of the bureau; J. W. Thompson, contractor; Elias H. Mortimer, Thompson's agent; Mrs. Mortimer and two New York actresses shared.

"Refreshments were served and then Mrs. Mortimer proposed a crap game," McGill Connor, a clerk in the bureau and the last Government witness, testified.

The two actresses he identified from the witness stand as "the Larrimore girls, sisters." Miss Francine Larrimore had been mentioned by previous witnesses as being a member of a party with the same group at Atlantic City, N. J., a few weeks later.

Connor testified he recognized in the hotel room, about the middle of May, 1922, both defendants as well as the Government's chief witness, the latter's wife and the other women. He said he had been summoned to New York from Washington by Forbes, who, he believed, wished to consult him concerning Veterans' Bureau routine.

The defense developed that Forbes left the suite about 4 o'clock in the afternoon to catch a train to Ohio to inspect a hospital site but that the good time continued for some hours.

The Government put into the record a quantity of documentary evidence calculated to support Mortimer's testimony last week concerning the movements of Forbes, his close advisers and Thompson and his friends during the Summer of 1922, when a number of hospital projects were under consideration in the Veterans' Bureau. Hotel registers, telegrams and Government records were presented to the jury.

Colonel Hugh T. Scott, commander of the Veterans' Bureau hospital at Muskogee, Okla., identified the handwriting of Charles F. Cramer, counsel for the Veteran's Bureau under Forbes, on hotel registers previously introduced by the prosecution.

He also identified the handwriting of Forbes on registers corroborating Government testimony concerning the Western inspection trip.

Defense motions for an instructed verdict of not guilty were denied by Judge Carpenter, as were later motions for the elimination of certain portions of the testimony of Mortimer. The defense then began the presentation of evidence, calling to the stand Miss Augusta Landis, a clerk in the bureau under Forbes, who told of the circumstances under which the bid of the Pontiac Construction Company, a Thompson subsidiary, was received at the bureau close to the time limit set in the public advertisements for Northampton Hospital bids.

The Northampton Foundation job, which went to the Pontiac company on a bid $27,000 higher than that of the Northeastern Construction Company of New York, was the central transaction around which the Government sought to establish evidence of conspiracy, corruption and collusion in the awarding of hospital contracts during Forbes's administration. It had been intimated by previous witnesses, representing other bidders for the foundation, that the Pontiac bid was entered after the time specified in the advertisements.

Miss Landis testified that the bid lay on her desk for two days before it was turned over to the proper official, two days after the date set for opening the bids. She identified an affidavit made at the time, setting forth the circumstances which delayed the bid at her desk.

## 400 HONOR DR. JACOB FUHS.

### Celebrate 75th Anniversary of Birth and 50th Year in Medicine.

Dr. Jacob Fuhs of 871 Park Place, Brooklyn, was the guest of honor at a dinner given last evening at the Unity Club, in Grant Square, Brooklyn. More than 400 of his friends, a majority of them members of the medical profession, gathered to honor him on the seventy-fifth anniversary of his birth and the fiftieth of his graduation in medicine. During an interval in the elaborate musical program a magnificently bound set of six volumes, "The Annals of Medical History," was presented to Dr. Fuhs.

Justice Edward Lazansky was toastmaster and the invocation was delivered by Mgr. John Belford. The presentation speech was made by Dr. Frank D. Jennings.

The other speakers were Dr. Lewis Stephen Pilcher, Joseph J. Baker, President of the Jewish Hospital, and Dr. William Francis Campbell. Benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Alexander Lyons of the Eighth Avenue Temple. These organizations were represented, every one of which Dr. Fuhs is either connected with or has been associated with in the past: Medical Society of the County of Kings, Long Island College Hospital, Practitioners' Club, East New York Medical Society, Williamsburg Medical Society, New Utrecht Medical Society, Brownsville and East New York Hospital, St. Catherine's Hospital, the Jewish Hospital of Brooklyn, Kings County Hospital, United Israel Zion Hospital, Wyckoff Heights Hospital and Beth Moses Hospital.

## DENIES WOLVES GO IN PACKS

### Explorer Stefansson Says They Never Existed Except in Folk Tales.

Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Arctic explorer, contradicted the popular belief that wolves hunt in packs last night at the annual dinner of the University of Iowa at the Fraternity Clubs Building, 22 East Thirty-eighth Street. Mr. Stefansson said that he questioned the Russian stories regarding the existence of wolf packs in that country and said that they had never existed "except in folk tales." As the result of his investigation of the subject, Mr. Stefansson said, he had learned that no one had ever seen a pack of wolves or more than seven wolves together. In the case of the seven it was a mother wolf and six whelps.

Mr. Stefansson also contradicted belief that it is always cold north of the Arctic Circle. He had himself experienced 96 in the shade there and the Government had recorded 106, he asserted.

The following officers of the University of Iowa Association were re-elected for the coming year: Arlo Wilson, President; Dr. Richard Young, Vice President; Mrs. J. V. E. Westfall, Secretary, and Thomas G. Wilson, Treasurer.

### Australian Treasurer Coming Here.

Dr. Earl Page, Treasurer of the Australian Commonwealth, will leave Sydney, N. S. W., today on the steamer Niagara for Vancouver, according to a cable received yesterday by J. A. N. Elder, Australian Commissioner to the United States. During his visit here he will confer with Government officials in regard to the forthcoming visit of the American fleet to Australia.

# AUTO ACCIDENTS COST SEVEN LIVES

## Five Die of Injuries Received When Struck in the Last Few Days.

## TWO KILLED YESTERDAY

### Woman Is Run Down and Seriously Hurt by Motorist That Flees.

Five persons died yesterday of injuries they had received in the preceding few days when knocked down by automobiles. Two more were killed yesterday.

Mrs. Augusta Paintor, 79 years old, a guest at the Martha Washington Hotel, and who was injured by a motor truck in front of 616 Fifth Avenue on Dec. 9 last, died in Bellevue Hospital of internal injuries and a fracture of the left leg. Mrs. Paintor and Mrs. M. Kimberly, also a guest of the Martha Washington Hotel, were viewing the Christmas shoppers on the avenue when a motor truck backed onto the sidewalk and knocked them down. Mrs. Kimberly, a few years younger than Mrs. Paintor, received several bruises.

John Byrd, 5, of 4,109 Lincoln Avenue, Woodside, Queens, who on Tuesday last was knocked down by an automobile at Roosevelt and Lincoln Avenues near his home, died in St. John's Hospital. The car which struck him was being operated by Henry J. Siebers of Elmhurst.

Arthur Guss, 38, of 215 Wanser Street, Lawrence, Queens, died in St. Joseph's Hospital, Far Rockaway, of a fracture of the skull received on the same day. He was struck while walking in Central Avenue, Cedarhurst.

William Derry, 60, of Hainesburg, N. J., died shortly after he was run down by an automobile near his home. William Van Scoten, driver of the car, of Belvidere, was arrested on a technical manslaughter charge, but was freed following a verdict of a Coroner's jury that Derry's death was accidental.

Frederick Siegel, 6, who received a fracture of the skull on Tuesday night when he stepped in the path of a motor truck from behind a trolley car near his home in Newark, died in the Newark City Hospital of a fracture of the skull, and Charles F. Kerr, formerly a Police Judge, died in his home in Newark of shock and internal injuries received on Dec. 9 when he was struck by a car in Maplewood.

A woman believed, because of cards found in her effects, to be Mrs. Anna Berlin, 65, of 693 First Avenue, Manhattan, was struck by a taxicab last night when crossing Ninth Avenue near Washington Avenue, Astoria, Queens, and died soon after of internal injuries and a fracture of the skull. Ralph Ciafone, the driver, of 184 Crescent Street, hurried the woman to St. John's Hospital, but she already was dead.

Mrs. Lydia Aubrey, 27, of 274 Bement Avenue, West New Brighton, S. I., was thrown twenty feet by an automobile last night at Oakland Avenue and Castleton Avenue, near her home, and when picked up fifteen minutes later was removed to St. Vincent's Hospital in a serious condition, with possible concussion of the brain and bruises about the body and legs. The driver of the small sedan which struck her while it was traveling at a high rate of speed made no attempt to aid his victim. He escaped.

## MONKEY HOUSE CLOSED; CHIMPANZEE TO BLAME

### Smashed Pane of Glass With Club —50 Inmates Mourn the Lack of Peanuts.

The monkey house at Central Park Zoo has been closed for two days, it was learned yesterday, all because Joe, a favorite chimpanzee, went on a rampage and put the whole monkey works out of business.

Fifty sad-faced monkeys peered out of their cages yesterday, evidently wondering what was the trouble, for they had gone forty-eight hours without peanuts, while scores of children equally sad stood outside the barred doors, holding bags of nuts, and no monkeys to feed.

What Joe did was to poke a club through the bars of his cage and shatter a huge pane of glass placed in front of the cage to protect him from draughts and to protect the visitors from Joe. The sound of glass crashing on the floor threw the money house into a turmoil. The screeching of Little Sally, the orang-outang, and Bessie, Joe's little chimpanzee sister, added to the confusion.

Jim Coyle, head keeper, at once ordered the doors closed, for he was afraid that Joe, who is strong-armed, might reach out and maul the children, should they attempt to feed him peanuts. He also ordered a new pane of glass, which has not yet arrived.

It is believed the club was smuggled in to Joe by one of the boys who troop to the monkey house after school hours. Joe was purchased for the Zoo in 1918, shortly after he was born in the wilds of Africa. He never has been trained, but likes to amuse the children. What he lacks in stunts he makes up in noise. When he gets excited, around luncheon time, his screeching can be heard as far as the elephant house.

## WOMAN KILLED BY HORSE.

### Animal Knocks Her Down on Street. Fatally Injuring Her.

Miss Magnes Lowenthal, 55 years old, was knocked down by a horse attached to a bakery wagon at Broadway and Sixty-seventh Street while returning home to the Hotel Marie Antoinette early last night. She died in Roosevelt Hospital of a fractured skull a few hours later.

Miss Lowenthal was crossing Sixty-seventh Street from north to south when a taxicab swung in near the bakery wagon, causing the horse to shy. The animal brushed against Miss Lowenthal, knocking her down. The police arrested Julius Schmidt, 32 years old, of 311 West Thirty-third Street, driver of the wagon, on a technical charge of homicide.

Miss Lowenthal was a daughter of the late Magnus Lowenthal, one of the foremost Jewish residents of Savannah, Ga., and a veteran of the Confederate Army. She was at one time employed in the business department of THE NEW YORK TIMES.

## HOTEL MEN TO BUILD CLUB.

### Association Announces It Will Have Its Own House.

New York hotel owners are planning to build a clubhouse and headquarters for their organization, it was announced last night at the annual meeting in the Hotel Waldorf-Astoria of the Hotel Association. It now has leased headquarters at Fifth Avenue and Thirty-third Street. The proposed clubhouse, it was said, would include an office building.

Fred A. Muschenheim, President of the association, was re-elected last night for his fourth term. Other officers elected were Burton F. White, Vice President; Claude R. Nott, Treasurer, and I. Fluegelman, Secretary. The Executive Committee membership was increased from nine to twelve by the election of these new members: Frederick Sterry, Hotel Plaza; Edward C. Fogg, Hotel Roosevelt, and Robert E. Blackman, Hotel San Remo.


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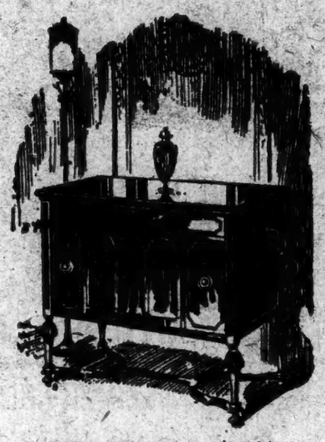

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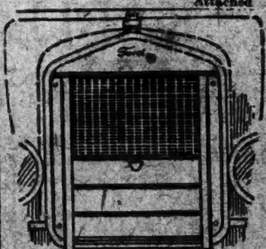

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# MAN THOUGHT DEAD RETURNS TO HOME

### Body Identified by Mother-in-Law as His Had Been Buried and Insurance Collected.

### WIFE WON'T SPEAK TO HIM

### Believed to Have Been Drowned, Staten Islander Had Been in a Sanitarium Instead.

Robert O'Donnell, a Staten Island shipworker, who was believed to have been drowned on Sept. 25, and whose supposed body was identified by his mother-in-law just as Richmond County officials were preparing it for burial in Potter's Field, walked into the Board of Health office at Stapleton, Staten Island, yesterday and met his wife, Mary, who had gone there to investigate a report that her husband was still alive.

Mrs. O'Donnell had already collected $1,000 insurance from the Prudential Life Insurance Company on a policy on her husband's life. She refused to speak to him.

On Sept. 25 a body was washed up at Pier 17, Stapleton, and taken to the morgue. On Oct. 5, ten days after the finding of the body, the morgue keeper arranged to have it buried, as no one had identified it. He had placed the body in a wooden box when a woman drove up in an automobile. She said she was Mrs. Mary F. Schnurr, and she identified the body as that of her son-in-law, Robert O'Donnell, who lived at 406 St. Paul's Avenue, Stapleton.

The body was buried in St. Mary's Roman Catholic Cemetery at Grassmere, Staten Island.

O'Donnell, who was separated from his wife, returned from the Burke Foundation, a convalescent sanitarium near White Plains, a few days ago and learned of the reports of his death. On Tuesday evening he telephoned to his wife to inquire about their five-year-old son, Robert. At the sound of her husband's voice over the wire Mrs. O'Donnell became hysterical and dropped the telephone receiver without verifying the call.

O'Donnell went to Police Headquarters at Staten Island yesterday and, after a conference with Ernest Van Waggner, Captain of Detectives, a meeting with Mrs. O'Donnell was arranged at the Board of Health offices.

Mrs. O'Donnell said she had notified the insurance company that the report of her husband's death was erroneous.

## STATE SYMPHONY PLAYS.

### Air "Son Gelosa" From Opera "Tigrane" Given for First Time Here.

The fourth Wednesday evening concert by the State Symphony Orchestra took place last night in Carnegie Hall. Weston Gales, associate conductor of the orchestra, led a performance of Tchaikovsky's Fourth Symphony and conducted the accompaniments of two songs sung by Ursula Greville. Of these the air "Son Gelosa," from Scarlatti's forgotten opera, "Tigrane," was heard for the first time in this country. The other air was Dido's "Lament," from Purcell's "Dido and Aeneas."

Mr. Stransky conducted performances of three of Saint-Saëns symphonic poems, "Phaeton," "Rouet d'Omphale" and "Danse Macabre," and the accompaniment of Greig's piano concerto, in which the solo part was taken by that sterling virtuoso and musician, Guimar Novaes.

### "The Scarlet Coat" Starts.

*Special to The New York Times.*

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 17.—"The Scarlet Coat," this year's vehicle for the players of the Triangle Club of Princeton University, had its premiere in the Trenton Theatre here tonight before a capacity audience of students and Faculty members. The performance will be repeated here tomorrow and Friday evenings and the show will then go on the road during the Christmas recess. The New York City presentation will be given in the Metropolitan Opera House Dec. 23.

"The Scarlet Coat" is a musical romance in two acts, with words and music by the students. The play was enthusiastically received.

### Donna Ortensia in Variety of Songs.

Donna Ortensia gave a song recital at Town Hall yesterday afternoon, appearing in a program which had the merit of variety. She sang in German, French, Italian and Rumanian, the last in a very becoming costume, and introduced, for the first time, some delightful songs by V. Wolkoff.

Her French group was well sung and well articulated and included a Chanson Ancienne of the 17th century, attractive in its cheerfulness. There were three Respighi numbers in the Italian group, one of them dedicated to Donna Ortensia, and two lively Neapolitan folk songs. The Rumanian folk songs ended the concert successfully.

### Mischa Mischakoff Heard Again.

Mischa Mischakoff gave a violin recital at the Town Hall last night, again winning an audience with alert and vigorous playing, as he had before vindicated the lucky chances of a Stadium début with the Philharmonic and an appointment as concertmaster of the New York Symphony. He put warm tone and youth's impetuosity into Hendel's well sustained E-major sonata, with Harry Kaufman at the piano. Besides classics of Paganini, Mendelssohn and Sarasate, he also gave twelve "Etchings" by Albert Spalding, a "Saga" of Gedowsky and "Polish Dance" of Zimbalist.

### Hyman Rovinsky, Pianist, Plays.

Hyman Rovinsky began his recital at Aeolian Hall last evening with Schubert, perhaps a tactical mistake; he should have begun with Criabine, for apparently the clue to M. Rovinsky's pianism was found later in Scriabine's "Valse" and "Boëme Satanique." He made a valiant effort to dominate Brahms and Franck, very stiff subjects both of them, and ended a program, good and unbackneyed, with a choice group which included Debussy, Korngold, Chopin and Smetana.

### Richard Mansfield's Home Sold.

*Special to The New York Times.*

NEW LONDON, Conn., Dec. 17.—Seven Acres, the home in which Richard Mansfield died, changed hands again yesterday when it was sold by the Savings Bank of New London to Lawrence B. Brockett of Johnsonville, N. Y. stamps on the deed indicated a sale price of $21,000.

### Mgr. Constantine Elected Patriarch.

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CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 17.—Mgr. Constantine, Metropolitan of Derkos, has been elected Oecumenical Patriarch in succession to the late Mgr. Gregorius VI., although he was warned yesterday by the Turkish police that he was an exchangeable subject under the convention with Greece for the exchange of populations.

## MUSIC NOTES.

The New York Nursery and Child's Hospital will be the beneficiary of tomorrow's special matinee of "La Gioconda" at the Metropolitan, when Rosa Ponselle, for the first time here, sings the title role.

Toti dal Monte will be heard for the first time in concert at the Hotel Plaza musicale on Friday of next week. In the same program are Vera Brodsky, Hannah Lefkowitz and John Charles Thomas.

Enrico Bossi, the Italian organist and composer, and Signora Bossi are the guests of G. Aldo Randegger and Mrs. Randegger for a few days in New York.

The Khalechkin Russian Choir will appear at today's morning musicale of the Haarlem Philharmonic Society at the Waldorf-Astoria.

# FOLLIES GIRLS TEACH COLUMBIA'S CREW

### Instruct Collegians in Dancing for the Varsity Show 'Half Moon Inn.'

Coaching the brawny crew of Columbia University in the art of stage dancing was the difficult task yesterday afternoon of several members of the Ziegfeld Follies, who are training the collegians for the coming varsity show, "Half Moon Inn."

The Columbia crew is the leading male chorus in the college production. Their roles call for special dancing ability, so the services of the Follies girls were obtained to teach the college men the fine points and tricks of successful dancing. Homer Eddins, '26, and Hamilton Phillips, '23, who are playing the leading feminine roles in the Columbia show, received special instruction from the Misses Ruth Woddell and Edith Babson, members of the Ziegfeld cast.

"Half Moon Inn" is an original play by Percy Ivens, '23, and Corey Ford, '25, which met with such success when it was presented two years ago at the Waldorf-Astoria that it was again selected this year by the King's Crown Board of Governors as the best play by Columbia students.

The play opens its road tour Dec. 27, when it will be presented at the Hotel Statler in Buffalo. Its itinerary includes Scranton, Pa.; Montclair, N. J., and the Academy of Music, Brooklyn, Dec. 31.

# CYRIL MAUDE DECIDES TO LEAVE THE STAGE

### Actor, 62, to Live in Devonshire, England—His Final Appearance Here Next Month.

Reports of the impending retirement of Cyril Maude from the stage were confirmed yesterday in a statement from the office of Charles Dillingham, under whose management Mr. Maude is at present touring the country in "Aren't We All?" Mr. Maude, who is 62 years of age, will live in Devonshire, England.

The statement quotes Mr. Maude as saying that "it is a great mistake for an actor to wait until the public is tired of him. Many actors think that they can stay at the top forever, regardless of age, but that is a delusion."

Mr. Maude's final New York appearance probably will take place at the Colonial Theatre during the week of Jan. 5, although it may be that he will return here in the Spring for a few farewell performances of "Grumpy," in which he won one of his greatest successes here. His tour in "Aren't We All?" will end in Chicago in the early Spring.

## LEO DITRICHSTEIN SAILS.

### Retired Actor on His Way to Florence, Italy, to Rest.

Leo Ditrichstein, the actor, sailed yesterday on the White Star liner Majestic with his wife, on his way to Florence, Italy, where he can rest peacefully and think. Although the actor had expressed his intention to retire definitely from the stage, he appeared to be afraid that the American public, before whom he had performed for forty years, would not permit him to forsake them altogether. Mr. Ditrichstein said that he was 57 years old and in excellent health.

The actor said to the reporters on the ship: "During recent years I have very seldom attended the theatre to witness plays outside of those in which I was enacting a rôle. However, I did get much pleasure out of attending concerts. I recently sold a play 'After Love?'" to my dear friend Henry Miller. I'm sure that he will produce it with great success. I was to have the leading rôle in this play, but estimated that its popularity would result in a two years' run. The strain of a two-years continuous engagement would have been too much for me.

"I look forward keenly to my life in Florence. I am fond of outdoor life and expect to spend a good part of my time in Florence on the banks of the ancient river Arno. I shall always call myself an American, and hope to pay a visit to New York next Fall."

Norma Talmadge, film star, sailed on the Majestic with her husband, Joseph M. Schenck, for a few months' tour in Europe. Godfrey Tearle, the English actor, who is going to London to play the leading rôle in "Silence" was also on the Majestic.

## WILLIAM FARNUM ILL.

### Rehearsals of "The Buccaneer," in Which He Is to Star, Halted.

Rehearsals of "The Buccaneer," in which William Farnum is to be starred, have been halted owing to the illness of Mr. Farnum. The actor underwent a serious operation about a month prior to the start of rehearsals, and was believed to be in excellent health until a few days ago. Arthur Hopkins, producer of the play, said last night that he was awaiting word from Mr. Farnum's physicians before making further plans for the play. Mr. Farnum is confined to his rooms at the Waldorf-Astoria.

"The Buccaneer," which is the work of Maxwell Anderson and Laurence Stallings, authors of "What Price Glory," was originally to have opened in Stamford tomorrow night. When Mr. Farnum first became ill this booking was cancelled, and it was then planned to open the play in Philadelphia next Tuesday night. All bookings have now been cancelled.

### Mme. de Pasquali Ill; Cancels Tour.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 17.—Seriously ill with pleurisy, aggravated because she continued singing for a week against the orders of a physician, Mme. Bernice de Pasquali, American soprano, today cancelled engagements in twelve cities. Physicians said that continuation of her tour might prove fatal.

Mme. de Pasquali was taken ill last week during her engagement here, but continued to sing twice daily. Saturday she canceled one week's engagement. Last night her temperature reached 103.

### Mme. Toti dal Monte in "Lucia."

Mme. Toti dal Monte made her second appearance in "Lucia" at the Metropolitan last night, winning applause with the fresh spontaneity of her treatment of the old studied airs and florid mad scene. Mme. Egener, Messrs. Chamlee, Danise, Bada and Mardones also sang and Mr. Papi conducted.

## THEATRICAL NOTES.

"Topsy and Eva" will open at the Sam H. Harris Theatre on Tuesday night of next week, instead of Monday.

"Bluffing Bluffers," instead of "Bunk de Luxe," will be the title of the play opening at the Ambassador next Monday night.

Galsworthy's "Old English," which comes to the Ritz next Tuesday night, will open tonight in New Haven.

Martha Tyrant Allen and Joyce White have been engaged for the new Ziegfeld production, "The Comic Supplement."

"The Marionette Man," by Frances Lightner, will be produced soon by Brock Pemberton with a cast headed by C. Henry Gordon, Ralph Locke and Marion Ballou.

Florence Edney is a recent addition to the cast of "Collusion," opening at the Princess on Dec. 29.

"The Skyscraper," by Langdon McCormick, will have its first performance tonight in Albany.

"Wolves," by Romain Rolland, will be produced soon by Maurice Swarts at the Yiddish Art Theatre.

"A Holiday Review," a special production for children, will be staged at the Neighborhood Playhouse on the afternoons of Dec. 20, 27 and 31.

"Fool's Gold" is now scheduled for production here during the week of Jan. 5.

Boris Thomashefsky, the Yiddish actor, is soon to be seen in vaudeville in a short version of "The Green Millionaire."


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COIN PURSE, contents 2 rings, lost phone booth drug store, 96th and Broadway; reward. Riverside 9411. Apt. 4B.

KODAK, 1A case, roll exposed film, Dec. 14, Hudson Division, New York Central train, arrived Grand Central 9:59 P. M.; reward. Ackerman, 1,047 Ogden Av.

PACKAGE containing 9 boxes handkerchiefs, all monogramed; 1 box underwear, Tuesday; reward; no questions asked. Return to Augusta Graf, 48 West 30th. Circle 6195.

PHOTOS and pictures, six small and old, lost in 8th Av. car; of no value to any one; reward for return and no questions asked. Phone Circle 2453.

PHOTOGRAPHS—Yellow taxi; return to studio named on pictures; reward. Vanderbilt 6283.

POCKETBOOK—Brown suede, lady's; label "May and Hattie Green," piece carved turquoise, Monday, Lexington Av. and 90th; reward. Whitehall 2060. Harrison.

POCKETBOOK, lady's, red leather, with black trim, in Franklin Simon or Ovington's; reward. Phone Richmond Hill 1606.

POCKETBOOK, money, valuable key, Friday, 5th Av. bus; reward. M 620 Times Downtown.

PURSE, silk change, containing money and diamond ring, lost Monday or Tuesday; reward. Mackelvey, Caledonia 2180.

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BAR PIN, diamond and onyx, late Friday afternoon, Dec. 12, in vicinity of H. Lichtenstein, 3 East 46th St.; Thurn's, 15 East 52d; Hicks, 675 5th Av., 48 West 49th St., or Ambassador Hotel; reward. Mrs. Arthur G. Hoffman, 63 Ridge St., Orange, N. J.

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EARRING—Bloomingdale's, 67th St. Post Office, or between; liberal reward. Rhinelander 7302, Apt. 7A.

GOLD WATCH, Dec. 10, between Manhattan and Long Island City; Tiffany make, engraved back "CRW"; reward; no questions asked. Phone Vanderbilt 3986.

PENDANT, diamond and pearl; $100 reward; lost between Port Washington and Glen Cove, L. I. Finder please call Port Washington 473 or Mr. Barry, Bowling Green 0246.

PIN, lost, lion's claw, gold mounted, three rubies; Tuesday evening, between Capitol Theatre and 84th St.; reward. W. B. Manes, 2,211 Broadway.

RINGS—Lost Saturday night between 105th St. and 65th St., west side, 2 diamond rings; old-fashioned marquis and cluster; name reward. Academy 2754.

RINGS, diamond and platinum, in eyeglass case, Friday; took taxi from 61st to Fort George Av.; liberal reward. Catherine Gilm. Plaza 8358.

RING, canary diamond; $100 reward; old gold filigree setting; valued as an heirloom; lost Dec. 13 vicinity Columbus Av. and 66th St. Y 2480 Times Annex.

RING, marquise, 16 diamonds, 1 emerald, Tuesday, glove counter, Saks, 34th Av.; heirloom; liberal reward. Caledonia 0919. Bland.

RINGS—Three, lost, tied in handkerchief, on L. I. train to Bayside Sunday night; liberal reward. S 587 Times.

TOPAZ BAR PIN—Oval, with carved gold setting; reward. K. A. Fisher, 105 West 89th St. Pennsylvania 1640.

WATCH—Basle, black enamel, jeweled; reward. Phone Rhinelander 1344.

WRIST WATCH, Elgin, gold, ribbon attached, lost Dec. 17, between Pier 54 North River and Avenue U, Brooklyn, via Brighton subway. Sanders, Dewey 10683.

WRIST WATCH, oblong, Monday between 77th, Columbus and 81 West End; reward. Heymann, 44 West 77th. Endicott 1574.

WRIST WATCH, gold; initialed E. F. G.; lost between 68th St. and 50th St., Park Av; reward. Telephone Plaza 8625.

WRIST WATCH, lady's, initials A. A. H., in taxicab, about 2:30 P. M. Tuesday, 12 East 86th. Write Y 2489 Times Annex.

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Lost, Nov. 21, diamond and pearl platinum bar pin in vicinity of 36th and 30th St., 6th to Madison Av. Topiis & Harding, 522 5th Av.

Cats, Dogs and Birds.

DOG—Lost on Dec. 11, dark brown German police dog in vicinity of Great Neck, L. I. Liberal reward. E. L. Smallwood, Great Neck, L. I. Tel. Great Neck 350.

DOG—Airedale, male, answers name Whitehaven, Tuesday night, vicinity West 157th St.; reward. Wadsworth 7589.

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# CHARTER FOR COUNTY PROVIDES CITY RULE

### New Government Proposed for Westchester Centres Powers in One Man.

### VOTERS TO PASS ON PLAN

### Duties of Board of Estimate and Other Departments Outlined at Meeting Here.

Details of the new charter for Westchester County, authorized by a constitutional amendment passed two years ago, were made public last night, when a subcommittee of the Westchester County Government Commission presented a tentative draft at a meeting of the commission, held in the Hotel Commodore.

Although objection was raised to undue haste, it being pointed out that a bare majority of the commission was present, the tentative draft was passed along for conference with the Westchester County Board of Supervisors. It will have to be approved first by the commission, then by the board, after that by the Legislature and finally by the voters of the county.

The draft of the charter, about 12,000 words in length, had not been seen by any members of the commission, except those who drew it up, until late yesterday afternoon, but several amendments were offered in the discussion. These, however, were defeated one after another, and when the commission adjourned there had been no material change.

Winfield Morse of Tarrytown urged delay, but Henry R. Barrett, the Chairman, pointed out that the charter should be sent to the Legislature before Feb. 1 to insure action at this session, and Mr. Barrett won his point.

**City Form of Government.**

The charter was presented by William Wallin, former Mayor of Yonkers, who was Chairman of the subcommittee that drew it up. It proposes to give to Westchester County in general a city form of government. At present in the county there is an elective board of forty-six supervisors, and the Sheriff, county treasurer, county attorney, county clerk, Commissioner of Public Welfare, coroner and other officers who also are elective. The net result, as one man pointed out, was that the Board of Supervisors was little more than a debating society, at which the elective administrative officers could "thumb their noses."

Under the new charter the Board of Supervisors is retained, out of political necessity, but authority is centralized in a county president. The only other elective officers are a vice president, a commissioner of finance and a county treasurer.

While the Board of Supervisors is retained under the new form of government, it is deprived of all executive and administrative duties. "Such executive powers and duties," the tentative charter reads, "shall hereafter be exercised and performed by the president of the county", with certain exceptions. The elective vice president is made chairman of the board.

The president and vice president are to serve for four years. They are to be citizens of the United States and may be removed from office by the governor upon charges being preferred.

**Powers of the President.**

The president will be the most powerful officer in the county. In effect, he will be the mayor of Westchester County, and his duties are set forth as follows:

"See that the county officers and departments faithfully perform their duties.

"See that the laws of the State, pertaining to the affairs and government of the county and the ordinances of the Board of Supervisors, are executed and enforced within the county.

"Communicate by written message to the Board of Supervisors at least once a year a statement of the finances and of the general condition of the affairs of the county, with such recommendations in relation thereto as he may deem proper.

"Give such information in relation to the same as such board may from time to time require.

"Receive and examine into all complaints made against any county officer for neglect of duty or malfeasance in office.

"Have authority at all times to examine the books and papers of any officer, employe or department of the county and, as often as he may deem proper, to appoint one or more competent persons to examine, without notice, the accounts of any county officer or department, and the money, securities and property belonging to the county in the possession or charge of any county officer or department, and to report the result of such examination.

"Have power to subpoena witnesses and compel the production of books, records, papers and documents, and administer oaths to witnesses, and take affidavits, in relation to the affairs of the county, in any matter concerning which a power or duty is conferred or imposed upon him by this chapter, any other law or any ordinance of the Board of Supervisors;

"Have such other powers and perform such other duties as may be prescribed in this chapter or other law, or by ordinance of the Board of Supervisors, not inconsistent with law."

**Eight New Departments.**

Provision is made for eight departments—Finance, Contract and Supply, Health, Public Welfare, Law, Public Works and Buildings, Engineering, and Weights and Measures. The office of Coroner is abolished and medical examiners are substituted.

In the Department of Finance the present office of Controller is abolished and a Commissioner of Finance, to be elected for four years, is substituted. His duties are "to superintend the fiscal affairs of the county and manage the same pursuant to the law and ordinance of the Board of Supervisors." He must keep separate the accounts of the different departments, and may draw no warrant except against the fund particularly provided for the specific purpose. The County Treasurer is "to demand, collect, receive and have the care and custody of and shall disburse all moneys belonging to or due to the county." He may pay out money only on the warrant of the Commissioner of Finance.

"The Commissioner of Finance," continues the charter, "shall within thirty days after the close of each fiscal year prepare and publish in book or pamphlet form a full and accurate statement" of receipts, revenues, indebtedness and "the cost of the acquisition, construction and operation of each public utility, if any, owned, maintained or operated by the county and income derived therefrom."

There also is created a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, whose members are to be the President, the Vice President and the Commissioner of Finance. This board is to determine the number of county employes and fix their salaries. It must file a budget with the Board of Supervisors on or before Nov. 15 of each year, and on or before the first of December of each year shall hold a public hearing on the budget. Later the Supervisors must give a public hearing on the budget, but after Dec. 31 the Board of Supervisors is without power to reject or diminish items in this budget. Surplus revenues or unexpended appropriations are included in the estimated revenues for the succeeding year.

An important new provision in the charter provides for investigation by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of a county system of highways, sewers, waterworks or other matters, with a view to the construction, maintenance and operation of such projects. The board also is empowered to "consider and investigate the desirability and practicability of establishing a county zoning and planning system," and other matters of general interest.

The machinery to let contracts and purchase supplies in the Department of Contract and Supply. In this department a board is provided whose members are the President, the Vice President, the Commissioner of Finance, the County Attorney and the County Engineer. A Commissioner of Health, appointed by the President, heads the Department of Health. In the case of this Commissioner of Public Welfare, he is made an appointive officer instead of an elected one, as at present.

The County Attorney, heading the Department of Law, also is made an appointive officer instead of an elected one. The creation of a Commissioner of Public Works and Buildings abolishes the office of Superintendent of Buildings. The County Engineer also is to be appointed. The office of Commissioner of Weights and Measures abolishes the post of County Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Mr. Wallin read the charter section by section and then moved that it be accepted as a tentative instrument and sent to conference with a committee of the Board of Supervisors before formal presentation to that board. Mr. Morse at once objected.

"This problem of a new form of Government in Westchester County," he said, "is too important to be passed on hastily. We have before us now for the first time a complete document, and while it embodies most of the second cities law, vital changes have been made and I urge that we have time to go over it carefully before we send it to conference."

**Surrogate Slater Objects.**

Just then Chairman Barrett recognized Surrogate George A. Slater of Port Chester, who objected to the presence of the County Attorney and the County Engineer on the Board of Contract and Supply.

"I am going to place myself squarely on record in this matter," Judge Slater asserted. "The County Engineer should not be allowed to sit on that board. If he is a crooked engineer and the board divides, his vote can award a contract to a favored contractor. We are inviting a scandal. It is the same with the County Attorney. Both of these men are employes. One makes the plans and the other makes the contracts. Neither should be permitted to vote."

Isidore Beaudrias of Yonkers replied that in practice a lay board took the advice of the technical men and he thought it was safer to place that technical men on the board so that they would have to go on record and could not escape the consequences of their vote. "By their inclusion on the board," he said, "there will be less danger of scandal."

"But," the Surrogate said, "to give them the vote gives them the chance to award 'phony' contracts that should not be awarded."

The point was debated for some time. Then Mr. Morse said:

"The trouble here is that we are trying to make a city law applicable to a county. That's what it is, and we might just as well come out squarely and frankly and say that we are trying to make Westchester County a city."

Chairman Barrett then put the amendment to a vote. It was lost by 11 to 7.

Judge Slater drew attention to the fact that the Commissioner of Welfare spent half the county's budget, but that he was appointed by the President and not elected by the people.

"I'm not so sure," he remarked, "but that too great power is being invested in the President. I think the people ought to have a right to vote on so important an official."

Mr. Wallin pointed out that to limit the powers of the President would be to destroy the theory of the act, for one of its fundamentals was centralization of authority. Mr. Slater's amendment was lost on a vote.

When it came to a discussion of salaries, a subcommittee that had gone into that matter reported that it favored a safary of $15,000 for the President, who would have to give his whole time; $8,500 for the Vice President, who would be a part-time man; $9,000 for the Commissioner of Finance, and $7,500 for the County Treasurer. In the discussion as much as $20,000 was suggested for the President, but the report of the subcommittee was adopted for purposes of the conference.

Finally Mr. Wallin's original motion that the tentative draft of the charter be sent to conference with the Board of Supervisors was carried and the commission adjourned to meet again at the Commodore on Jan. 21 to hear a report on the conference.

## F. L. OLMSTED REPORTS ON BOTANICAL GARDENS

### Bit Off More Than It Could Chew, Says Landscape Architect, and Needs More Funds.

After an extended study of the New York Botanical Garden in Bronx Park Frederick Law Olmstead, the landscape architect of Brookline, Mass., has completed a report, made public yesterday, in which he says the institution has "bit off more than it is able properly to chew under present conditions of cost and of funds available for maintenance."

Mr. Olmstead's report will influence the action of the Board of Governors of the Botanical Garden, which has announced its intention of raising $7,000,000 to carry out plans to make the institution a model for the world. $4,000,000 of this amount being scheduled to be added to its available funds during 1925.

"To put the matter in dollars and cents," says Mr. Olmstead's report, "the most urgent need for the improvement of the grounds is an increase in the annual budget for gardeners, laborers, watchmen, foremen, supplies, tools and equipment from the present figure of about $70,000 to about $200,000, with a further gradual increase in connection with any new improvements or changes in conditions of use or in labor conditions which may tend to increase the maintenance burden.

"The Botanical Garden, as a specialized institution, if it is to do its job well, has got to meet the increased cost of the most essential part of its function without sacrifice of quality. Otherwise it is manifestly failing as a garden, however useful it may be in other respects.

"In the case of a botanical garden or a park, where the real values derived from the investment are largely dependent on the cumulative effect of the growth of plants in certain ways over long periods of years, the effect of inadequate or ill-directed maintenance is peculiarly disastrous, because the resulting depreciation (or failure to secure legitimate increase of value) can never be offset in short order by liberal investment in repairs and improvements, as can generally be done with buildings and engineering works.

"There is absolutely no other road to first-rate results than by the process of slow natural growth under the selective control, protection and guidance of suitable methods of maintenance year after year."

## FAVOR RADIO FOR "NERVES."

### British Hospital Authorities Say Programs Soothe Patients.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Radio is recognized by British hospital authorities as a treatment for nerve cases and insomnia, and a number of institutions are installing wireless equipment almost as a matter of routine. Doctors declare that the radio programs are important to nerve patients not only in their direct effects but as antidotes for the unpleasant everyday street noises.

Sir Henry Hadow is firmly convinced of the healing influence of radio music, and Sir Bruce Bruce-Porter attributes to it the high turnover of 100 patients a month at the Third London General Hospital.

## NAME BOY AFTER COOLIDGE

### First to Be Born in Plymouth After President Took Oath There.

PLYMOUTH, Vt., Dec. 17.—The first child to be born in the village of Plymouth since Calvin Coolidge took the oath of office here as President of the United States on Aug. 3, 1923, came into the world six days ago, and, according to the decision of his parents today, will be named Calvin Coolidge Rogers.

The parents are Louis E. and Lena Rogers. Mrs. Rogers attended the village school that stands on the site of the one attended by the President, attended the Black River Academy, as the President did, and in 1920 taught in the village school.

# BLACKJACK AND ROB WOMAN, 78, IN HOME

### Three Thugs Take $3,000 From Delicatessen Keeper Who Didn't Trust Banks.

### CHRISTMAS BANDITS BUSY

### Two Men Hold Up Dentist in His Office, Getting $100 and Leaving Him a Nickel.

Mrs. Sarah Gellis, proprietor of a delicatessen store at 37 Essex Street, is 78 years old, and she doesn't believe in banks. Up to a year ago she kept her surplus money in an iron safe in her home, at 138 Henry Street. But one night three men visited her home while she was out, tied up her maid, Yetta, drilled the safe and stole $5,000.

It had taken months of hard work in her little delicatessen store for Mrs. Gellis to save $5,000. But, keenly as she felt the loss, it didn't increase her faith in banks. So she abandoned the iron safe and took to carrying her money with her in a black leather handbag.

Last night Mrs. Gellis closed her delicatessen store at 10 o'clock and walked home with her friend, Mrs. Ida Smolens. It was a custom they had followed for years. Yetta, the maid, would be waiting for them and would have tea ready.

Yetta answered the doorbell as usual, and Mrs. Gellis stepped inside.

**Starts Up Dark Stairway.**

"I think I'll go up to my room for a moment," she said, and started up the stairs. The hallway was dark. The dining room door showed Mrs. Smolens and Yetta, shutting off the last gleam of light in the hallway. But Mrs. Gellis knew the stairway she had been trudging up and down for years.

Suddenly, without warning, three men seized her. Before she could cry out one dealt her a blow over the head with a blackjack. She fell unconscious. Then the three men seized the handbag containing $3,000 and walked out of the house.

Yetta had heard the heavy footsteps on the stairway, and opening the dining room door noticed that the front door was left open. She became suspicious and started upstairs to find her mistress. Halfway up she stumbled across Mrs. Gellis.

Yetta's screams brought Mrs. Smolens and a police sergeant from the Clinton Street Station who were passing the house. They revived Mrs. Gellis, whose first thoughts were for the handbag. The sergeant was told the story of the robbery.

"Why," he exclaimed, "those were the three men I saw tinkering with the automobile outside the door. What they saw me coming they beat it."

The automobile was later identified as having been stolen from a man in Brooklyn. Apparently the thieves had intended leaving in it but were unable to start the car and seeing the sergeant approach fled.

**Victim Had Bad Scalp Wound.**

Mrs. Gellis was under a doctor's care last night with a bad scalp wound.

Two armed thieves, well dressed, went to the office of Dr. Harry Jarmul, a dentist, at 61 Eighth Avenue, at noon yesterday. Dr. Jarmul had just dismissed a patient.

"Good morning, gentleman. What can I do for you?" asked the dentist.

"This day, isn't it, Doctor. You can just hand over all your money. We're awfully sorry to trouble you, but Christmas is nearly here, and we're greatly in need of funds for presents," said the first hold-up man, while the second leveled a pistol at the dentist's head.

"Yes, Doctor," said the man with the gun. "So sorry. It grieves me even more to say that you will not see Christmas if you make any noise."

The first robber found $100 in the dentist's purse. In another pocket he found enough for a subway fare, which he did not take, explaining:

"No, Doc, you're a good scout, and we'll leave you that. This in the wallet's enough." They also let him keep his watch, which he told them was a keepsake.

"So long, Doc," one of the pair said as they backed out. "You're a good scout. Don't make any fuss now that you've given us fifteen minutes, and we'll not bother you again. Well, Merry Christmas, Doc."

Dr. Jarmul waited fifteen minutes and then called up the Charles Street Police Station.

The pluck of Mrs. Rose Sieveking, member of a jewelry firm at 40 Maiden Lane, Manhattan, saved $4,000 worth of jewelry she was carrying for her home at 344 Eighty-fourth Street, Brooklyn, early in the morning. Frightened by two men following her, she ran up the steps of a house on Fifth Avenue, near Eighty-fourth Street, intending to ring the doorbell and call help. Before she pushed the button one of the men seized her, pointed a pistol at her and grabbed the bag. She held onto the bag, but one of the hold-up men arrested it from her hands. She ran after them and her screams attracted three policemen, who gave chase. A young man, who said he was Harry Levy, 18, 1,237 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan, was captured and the handbag and its contents were recovered. The prisoner was held in $25,000 bail by Magistrate O'Neil in the Fifth Avenue Court on a charge of assault and robbery. The Magistrate said he would write Commissioner Enright to commend the efficiency of Policemen Kinnane, Brooklyn traffic Patrolman Kellner and Detective Galvin, who made the capture.

Patrolman Jasper Rhodes, a negro, of the West 135th Street Police Station, was commended by Inspector John D. Coughlin when he reported at Police Headquarters with Roger Williams, a negro, of 45 West 137th Street, who, according to the police, admitted that he had held up five Harlem merchants. Williams was held in $20,000 bail by Magistrate Douras in Washington Heights Court.

**Held for Homicide.**

Joseph Ford, 406 Hudson Street, was held in $5,000 bail on a charge of robbing Alexander Salazer, 602 West Forty-second Street, in the Christopher Street subway station. Edward McCarthy, 454 East Eighty-third Street, was held without bail by Magistrate House on a charge of homicide in connection with the murder of Dr. Hay in a drug store at 171st Street and Broadway.

Michael Flynn, Twenty-eighth Street and Broadway; Herman Gross, 46 South Fifth Street, Brooklyn, and John Feenicks, 510 West 184th Street, were held on suspicion of being wanted in Philadelphia in connection with a $100,000 jewelry theft. They were arraigned before Magistrate Goodman in the West Side Court and held without bail for a hearing on Monday.

The Campus drug store, 1,941 Amsterdam Avenue, was robbed of $1,500 worth of whisky and perfumes and $48 in cash by burglars who tunneled through the wall from an adjoining cobbler's shop.

Murray Richman, 3,813 Fifteenth Avenue, Brooklyn; Sigmund Herman, 328 Thirteenth Street, and Joseph Tirrigliaso, 2 Melvin Place, all of Brooklyn, were arrested in a motor car at Delancy and Stanton Streets by detectives after the robbery of Julius Spitzer and Jacob Rappenheimer in their tailor shop at 17 Suffolk Street. The tailors and two customers were robbed of $1,000 in cash and jewelry. The police say the two prisoners have been identified as men who held up a confectionery store run by Max Rothal, 209 Broome Street, on Tuesday night.

Watches, stickpins, rings and other jewelry valued at $300, also loaded revolvers, two blackjacks, two flashlights and two boxes of cartridges were found by Detective Statas and Hagen of the West 123d Street Station in a furnished room at 48 West 126th Street, where they arrested Ralph Berholz, who rented the room, and Morris Nager, 60 East First Street. The police are investigating the ownership of the jewelry.

## BUBONIC PLAGUE FOUND IN NEW ORLEANS RATS

### Congress Asked for $275,000 to Prevent Spread to Human Beings.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Request for an immediate appropriation of $275,000 to be used in controlling a reported outbreak of bubonic plague among rats in New Orleans and its environs was forwarded to Congress today by the Treasury Department.

The money, Congress was informed, would be placed at the command of the Public Health Service, which received a report on Dec. 4 that there was evidence of bubonic plague at New Orleans.

Control of the outbreak, it was explained, involves the immediate trapping of rats in suspected areas, suppression of the disease among lower animals and the inspection and fumigation of all outgoing vessels to comply with international requirements.

Acting Surgeon General White said tonight that the outbreak, as reported to the Public Health Service, was restricted to rats. No human cases are implicated, but a request that the full appropriation was sought to enable the experts to get to work immediately on extermination of the disease among animals.

**Austrian Slays Two, Then Ends Life**

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VIENNA, Dec. 17.—Another family massacre is reported from Klagenfurt, a small town in South Austria. Marcus Veligonna, a Government employe, disturbed under the reconstruction scheme, had a violent quarrel with his wife and his sister-in-law in the kitchen, during which the wife wounded Veligonna with a knife. The two women rushed upstairs pursued by Veligonna who had seized a gun and shot them both on the staircase. Seeing the two women fall Veligonna hurried back to the kitchen where he shot himself through the head. Veligonna had begun proceedings for a divorce.

**Edison Denies Bust Report.**

ORANGE, N. J., Dec. 17.—Thomas A. Edison denied here today that he had given permission to the sponsors for the National Museum of Engineering and Industry in Washington, D. C., to erect a bust of him. Mr. Edison said that he did not recall ever having received a message from the organization. He explained that it was against his policy to permit either busts or tablets to him to be erected during his lifetime.

## LIKES RUM AND GIN, LADY ASTOR ADMITS

### But Says in Opening Dry Canteen 'There's Lots of Things You're Better Without.'

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LONDON, Dec. 17.—Viscountess Astor, addressing a large gathering of women and children yesterday, when she opened a saloon which had been taken over by the Canning Town Women's Settlement and converted into a dry canteen, remarked:

"I myself am very fond of gin and rum. But as you go through life you will find that there are a lot of things that you want but in better without. I will come down and see you some other time and we will have a good old go out. Remember what I have told you about drink—it's no good to any one."

There is a movement in the place which caused an assortment of toys sent by Mrs. Pennington, who lost her husband and two children in the Tokio earthquake. It was opened by Lady Astor's son, Hon. David Astor, but Nancy Astor overcame him, but finally he found the door open, saying:

"I have much pleasure in declaring this nursery open."

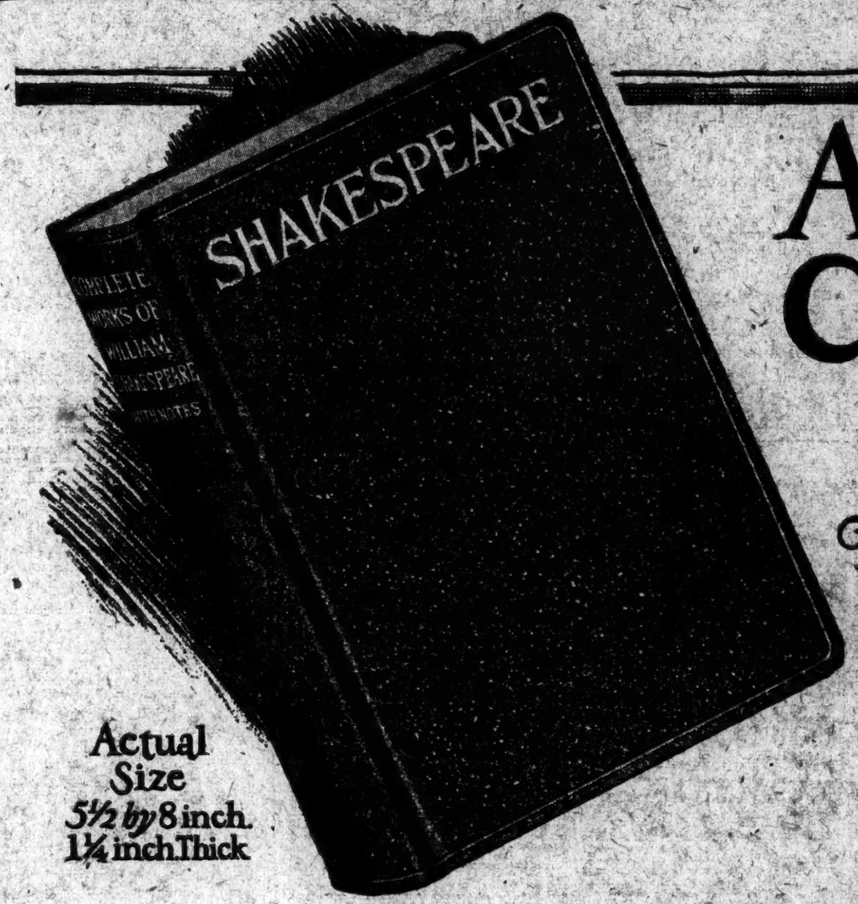
After inspecting the building Lady Astor and her son ate the first meal of sausages and mashed potatoes which was served in the canteen.

## COLLEGE DANCES BARRED.

### Dean of Forestry School of Syracuse Thinks Supervision Improper.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 17.—Students of the New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse University were informed today by Dean Franklin P. Moon that all dances and social functions of that department would be prohibited indefinitely because of improper supervision of a dance held by the Forestry School last week. The ruling will not affect similar affairs held by other students at the university, the Forestry School, under State management, as under separate administration.

In announcing the ban on dances, Dean Moon declared as a student controversial today that he personally had seen evidences of drinking on the dance floor and that students had danced in an unlighted portion of the building, despite regulations prohibiting this.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## A LONELY STATESMAN.

Senator BORAH'S address in Philadelphia last night on the "Outlawry of War" gains special interest from his recent selection as Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee in succession to HENRY CABOT LODGE. Many are asking whether the Idaho Senator will work well with the committee, with the Senate, and with the Administration. In the past he has been noted for following The Trail of the Lonesome Pine. Agreeing passionately with the objects sought by other men, he has seldom been able to agree upon the ways proposed to attain them. Too often he has illustrated what has been called "the solecism of power"—which is vehement advocacy of ends while rejecting the necessary means. He has usually been strong for some other plan than the one under discussion or within reach.

In consistency, if not from sincere conviction, Senator BORAH could not fail to approve the general idea of a World Court and conferences to bring about international disarmament. When opposing the League of Nations four years ago, he pronounced in favor of a judicial tribunal as the proper alternative. And no one has spoken more eloquently and fervently against war. Mr. BORAH is apparently the public man above all others who would go all lengths and venture everything for the sake of banishing forever war between nations. At Philadelphia he displayed his familiar ardor in this respect, yet also not a little of his familiar insistence that all existing projects to compass his heart's desire must be modified more or less radically in order to meet his individual view of how the thing should be done.

It will be noted that Senator BORAH is now disposed to drop the phrase "outlawry of war." He would substitute for it a demand for "law and judicial tribunals in international affairs." With others he had previously joined in calling for some form of legislative action to outlaw war. Apparently he now perceives that this could be little more than a futile gesture without the concurrence of the great civilized nations. But he would attain his purpose by another method. He would have his judicial tribunal "declare" that "war is a crime, no longer to be recognized at any time as a legitimate institution for settlement of international disputes." This would be "judge-made law" with a vengeance. It has always been supposed that the World Court would interpret international law, not enact it. There has been, on the part of many Senators, of whom Senator BORAH was believed to be one, a wish to remake the constitution of the World Court so as to cause its practice to square with that of the Supreme Court of the United States. But it would be a startling novelty to give to American Judges the right to "declare," out of their own heads, what is a crime.

There is reason as well as pertinency in Senator BORAH'S definition of other functions of an international court of justice. He would give to it jurisdiction and power to "determine all controversies involving construction of international laws or treaties." But would there not, even so, be need of some method or machinery to make it certain that the nations concerned would submit to the decisions of the World Court in such matters? Even within a single national jurisdiction, the difficulty sometimes presents itself. For example, the Supreme Court of the United States has held that the treaty of peace with Spain clearly intended to make the Isle of Pines a part of the territory of Cuba. One of the Judges who concurred in this opinion had been one of the Peace Commissioners who wrote the treaty. Yet there are a number of Senators who do not propose to be bound by this decision of the Supreme Court, construing a treaty. And unless all the reports are wrong, one of them is the new Chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee!

For the present Senator BORAH'S attitude toward the World Court, the League of Nations and the proposed disarmament conference is not likely to be translated into action. It is not expected that any of these matters will be urgently pressed in the Senate during the present Congress. But in the new Congress the position taken by Senator BORAH will be of great practical consequence. So far as may be gathered from his Philadelphia speech, he will endeavor to work better with his colleagues and with the Administration than he has done in the past. But it is obvious that the inclination is still strong upon him to plow a lonely furrow. Yet in Idaho the farmers know that they must cooperate or go bankrupt.

## TOMAHAWK OR PEACE PIPE?

There has been a conference at Albany of the Republican powers in the Senate and Assembly of 1925. Little of the solemn decisions accumulated in its deliberations has been given to the public, which has to content itself with the old formula that there will be no "unreasonable obstruction" to Governor SMITH'S recommendations. This would seem too good to be true if the Republican notion of "unreasonable obstruction" hadn't been so ample and elastic. It is qualified by confining it to the particular case of appointments made with the advice and consent of the Senate. Since offices are the life and breath of the machine, this edifying course, if followed, will be so much to the credit of the Republicans and the good of the State. Even if such promises, habitually made before and after the Legislature meets, have usually dissolved in the heat of partisanship, they are pleasant for the time. May these good intentions escape the Paving Department of Dis!

The Governor's main policies, steadily opposed by the Republicans in the Legislature and the campaign, they are too polite to say anything about until he urges them again in his message next month. Is it too much to assume that there have been warnings from wiser heads against the narrow and greedy views proclaimed by divers Republican "leaders" and gods of the machine, drunk with a success which they had the smallest part in winning? The raw reiteration of the outworn doctrine of the trough, the exaltation of patronage, the hoped-for return of severe organization politics, the defiance of a strong Republican and independent sentiment, the continued blind rejection of a Republican program for the benefit of the State because it is urged by a Democratic Governor: these things must have impressed painfully many Republicans; most of all, those Republicans who are capable of looking before and after.

Have the Republicans gained power in the Legislature only to abuse it? Do they imagine that the Republican Party of New York State can prosper by neglecting moral values, by postponing reforms essential to the orderly, capable, open and economical administration of the State's business? Was there a Republican "mandate" to prefer petty politics to the great permanent interests and welfare of the State? Probably questions like these have been asked. Possibly even the Republican machine understands that its partisan glee was too candid and impetuous. Let us hope so.

## LABOR LEADERSHIP.

The career of SAMUEL GOMPERS offers proof that in our American institutions, to which he expressed his tribute and gratitude almost with his last breath, may be found more than one form of opportunity for talent and energy. There can be little doubt that the same qualities which he displayed at the head of the American Federation of Labor would have earned for Mr. GOMPERS a high place in the business world, if he had turned his mind in that direction. To be sure, there was no sacrifice involved in the choice he made. It is given to very few "captains of industry" to wield the power or enjoy the nation-wide prestige which were his for many years. Mr. GOMPERS is by no means the sole instance of opportunity not translated into cash terms. The opportunity for service as against material rewards is embraced by millions of American citizens in the schools, the colleges, the laboratories, the churches, the social welfare organizations, the Government offices, on the judicial bench, and in numerous other fields where wages are not commensurate with the public work done.

Leadership is needed in every phase of our national life, and not least in the realm of Labor. It is a leadership which in the nature of things cannot be expected to be oblivious of older Labor ideals and the older Labor tactics. But at its best it will rise above the strike, the boycott and the legislative lobby to a broader view of Labor's rôle in the community of which it is a part. The Pennsylvania miners observe an annual John Mitchell Day in memory of a labor leader—and incidentally a close associate of Mr. GOMPERS—who had this statesmanlike vision. JOHN MITCHELL led strikes, but he also recognized the gains that Labor may secure from the more civilized methods of conference and arbitration. Militant Labor thinkers are inclined to sneer at the tactics of compromise. But, after all, the working masses may be assumed to know best their own gains and losses; and the fact that the Pennsylvania miners honor the memory of JOHN MITCHELL is proof that his leadership brought them real advantages.

The opportunities for Labor statesmanship as opposed to the old type of "Labor leader" are bound to increase as the activities of organized Labor expand and grow diversified. If the recent development of Labor banks and Labor as its own master in industry continues, it is obvious that there will be an increasing demand for leadership of the new kind. In another direction there will be a call for able leaders to face the problems arising out of the World War and affecting the workers of every nation. The most notable service rendered by British Labor under RAMSAY MACDONALD was in the cause of world peace. Mr. GOMPERS'S enlightened attitude toward the problems of peace and reconstruction was in striking contrast to the timidity or set obscurantism of too many leaders of American thought outside the field of organized Labor. It is certain that the opportunities which Mr. GOMPERS found and seized upon more than a generation ago have not lessened.

## THE MOTOR VEHICLE SLAUGHTER.

The National Conference on Street and Highway Safety, called to meet in Washington by Secretary HOOVER, will have failed of its purpose unless the whole country is aroused to the duty of regulating motor vehicle traffic. In his opening address Mr. HOOVER made a point of the increase of 14 per cent. in motor vehicle accidents during the last year, as compared with a decrease of accidents due to other causes. In the four years of our Civil War 110,070 Union soldiers were killed in battle or died of wounds. Unless there is stringent regulation of motor vehicle traffic in this country, four years of fatal casualties on the streets and roads will soon approach that total. The figures in FOX'S work, "Regimental Losses in the American Civil War," were "carefully revised by comparison with the official records at Washington." All the deaths in our peaceful civilization occasioned by the use of the automobile are probably not reported. Last year there were 22,600 deaths in accidents on streets and highways. About 80 per cent. occurred in motor vehicle traffic. It is already known that this year's fatal casualties will exceed those of 1923.

When the 12,000,000 motor vehicles in use—"active cars" is Mr. HOOVER'S expression—are doubled, is it not a fair calculation that the non-combatant dead will exceed the Union losses in the Civil War in a period of four years unless something drastic is done to hold the motor vehicle in check? Mr. HOOVER says:

> There are three broad methods of approach to a remedy. First, prevention and safeguard. Second, punishment for violation of the rights of others. Third, public education as to responsibilities.
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> The most effective safeguard would be a strict system of licensing drivers. In most of the States the tests of competence are farcical. Licenses are easily procured by men and women who risk their own lives and imperil the lives of others. Some of them never learn to drive properly. Punishment for causing accidents is seldom adequate; often it is absurdly light. Even drunkenness in drivers does not always cost them their licenses. Public education of both pedestrians and drivers would lower the percentage of accidents, but it must be systematic, thorough and continuous. After the wreck of a railroad train the engineer is often charged with manslaughter. Rarely is the driver of an automobile that kills a human being so indicted. Yet he operates what may be called a private locomotive. When just punishment is regularly visited upon those who drive motor vehicles with criminal recklessness, the death curve will go down sharply. Uniformity of laws governing the use of these vehicles would also have the effect of turning the death curve down. Uniformity of traffic regulations, or approximation to it, would be helpful. No State should have a weak automobile law. As President COOLIDGE has wisely said, the problem is one for State and municipal solution, with incidental help from the Federal authorities."

## AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN.

The schools of this city should take prompt and general advantage of the opportunity offered by the trustees of the Morgan collection of manuscripts, through the Public Library, to pupils especially in the classes in English Literature, to see with their own eyes the originals of some of the most precious treasures of the race in the English language. Thousands of boys and girls who are reading "Ivanhoe" in the regular school course may be able to see the text of that famous novel in SCOTT'S own hand. Those of another class becoming this year for the first time acquainted with LEIGH HUNT'S "Abou ben Adhem" may here have sight of the poem as it was born. For still another class there is "The Brook," which gives promise of going on indefinitely, to be seen at its source in the rhythm and rhyme in which TENNYSON sent it on its way. These are but hints of the priceless manuscripts that every school child may see within a few hours, at most, of school or home. No school with children of an age to appreciate something of the significance and preciousness of these pieces of paper on which immortal things have been written should fail to give its boys and girls the educational benefit as well as the pleasure of seeing this collection.

Along with this pleasure and intangible profit—if the teachers must find a very practical reason—is the lesson of the patient struggle for perfection through repeated revision which some of the manuscripts exhibit. There are, for example, three successive drafts of POPE'S "Essay on Man"—even the third and final draft showing corrections. Genius is revealed in some of these manuscripts in one of its familiar definitions as a "transcendent capacity for taking pains." In our school books we say of those that held their heads above the crowd, "they flourished then and there." But in these things which they have written with their own hands they become living beings.

## IMPORTING PURPLE NOBS.

Soft murmurs of adoration, happy bleatings, were heard in Washington as they were heard in New York. A Grand Duchess was on exhibition to those worthy of the vision. "Close your eyes with holy dread and weave a circle around her thrice"; and let the profane keep their distance! The jaundiced grumble that this isn't much of an ex-potentate and that her Grand Duke—a name which makes some of us think of OFFENBACH and champagne and all the lost delights of our frivolous ancestors—isn't well seen in Coburg or among the Muscovy patrician exiles and claimants. This is all beside the mark. The faculty of reverence and awe is beautiful, no matter what its objects; and American importations of art, even faintly lubricated with royal or imperial anointment, are all too rare. Let us do the best with the limited stock at our command.

Coals in Newcastle, Monks in Thibet, Archdukes in Austria, are not too highly estimated. To our austere republican simplicity, these gorgeous birds are as precious as a roc's egg. And there is more than that in this case. There are tears, doubtless, for things gone wrong, and memorable misfortunes. There is extant in the United States a society of the White Rose, loyally Jacobite after so many generations, and keeping a legitimist tenderness for the present heir of the STUARTS, whose name we forget, but the address is somewhere in Bavaria. This is in accordance with the victa Catoni principle; and if the White Roses are more female than male, that merely shows again which sex is the tenderer of heart, the truer to Lost Causes and "Monarchs retired"—or "fired"—"from business."

The grave import of the sacred circle and the exclusion acts that would preserve the treasure from less exalted eyes and hands has not, we trust, been lost either upon our sociologists or our social arbiters. America is the land of opportunity. No tree, of whatever august genealogy, should be fenced off from the ardent and aspiring climber. Still, as we have to protect our parks, so our imported monument must be firmly railed and fenced. Yet this is a condition which jars on our imputed passion for Equality. If only comparatively few are permitted to consociate with Illustrious Personages, not merely Mr. LA FOLLETTE'S but the general bile against "privilege" will be stirred. The remedy is easy. Europe, Asia and Africa swarm with living excerpts from the Almanach de Gotha "on their uppers." Let them come in, in moderate numbers and according to the demand, or by ratio of the population, as assisted immigrants.

With all the money in the hands of Americans, each as good as the other and as well entitled to treat himself to an object of worship, there might be set up in the United States a series of courts, each one of which would make the little German States of the eighteenth century look like the Five Points in their balmiest days. There might even be a Congress of ex-Sovereigns. Meanwhile, it is gratifying to see that the desire for social self-improvement is strong in some of our "selectest circles," and that they are teaching as much as they learn. Our chryselephantine guests are imbibing the lessons of our simple, modest and equal democratic life, of a country which, incapable of snobs but boundlessly humble and reverential, has to import nobs f. o. b.

## BRINGING THE ORIENT NEARER.

The Oriental bazaar, which is to be continued under the auspices of the Near East colleges, all of which have been chartered in America and are in the main directed and supported by Americans, brings not only the handiwork of appreciative alumni of these institutions but other objects of historical interest and splendor to the eyes of their patrons and friends in this country. While it is intended as a "benefit" for the colleges, its chief motive is to manifest the gratitude of the Near Easterners to those who have given with such generosity to the establishment and maintenance of these Eastern educational outposts, two of which look across the Bosporus into Asia, the third standing on the edge of Asia, beneath the Lebanons, looking toward the West.

These institutions have exerted an incalculable influence throughout that part of the world, interpreting the ways and ideals of the West to that region of the East which is nearest to us, and enabling that nearest East, which was the cradle of Western culture and religion, to share in what has come of the development of that culture that still looks back, especially at this season of the year, to the Near East.

This exhibit offers, in fact, an easy pilgrimage to the picturesque shores of the Mediterranean where the twain which KIPLING said never would meet have met. The far places of our heritage are brought near with their color and charm. Those who wish to try their wits at Oriental bargaining are given an opportunity to exercise them, but for the most part the articles for sale are set forth at moderate prices fixed by an appraising committee. Whatever is realized from the sale goes to the endowment which the twenty-one associations of alumni of these colleges are trying to raise in expression of native indebtedness to them and to the Americans who have made such privileges possible. It is this gratitude and good-will which this Oriental bazaar is intended to illustrate to the Occident, and so to bring the Near East still nearer.

## HELP THROUGH THE YEAR.

Our amiable and generous friend, Mr. WILL ROGERS, accompanied his contribution to the Neediest Cases Fund with a suggestion. It is that the effort to raise money for these unfortunates should not be confined to the Christmas season, but should be carried on every week in the year. There are always people in trouble, argues Mr. ROGERS, so why not be all the time helping them? But this question, springing though it does from a fine impulse, overlooks the special nature of the work undertaken in behalf of the cases brought to public attention in all their pathetic details through our columns. The aim is to bring relief which shall be not only immediate but lasting. The aid provided is to bridge the gap back to self-support and to continue throughout the whole year, if necessary. In case after case it is specified that the money asked is to be expended over several months, for the sake of keeping a family together, tiding over illness, helping during a period of recovery from accident, so as to lead ultimately to self-dependence.

Another correspondent and contributor refers to "the great Christmas spirit of giving and doing good." It is to take advantage of such a sentiment that the seasonal appeal is made, and the response to it shows that this particular manifestation of human sympathy and good-will is felt by many to be especially appropriate to the Christmastide. But the effect is not limited to any one week or two weeks. Under wise administration its benefits will be spread over a long period. In many families where distress has entered, the blessing of assistance will be felt month after month, and will seem like a fresh and repeated display of the Christmas spirit often throughout the whole year.

## TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

**The Trade Advance Triumphs.**

Another bit of old New York will soon disappear as a result of the final decision to erect a big office building and store on Madison Avenue opposite the two Morgan houses. A generation ago this was one of the most fashionable residential districts. But the uptown course of trade began making inroads shortly after 1900, with the result that one by one the old homes have been deserted. Only the MORGANS, with their kin and friends, stayed on and fought valiantly against the invasion of the blocks immediately adjoining theirs. This involved a long dispute with the Astor estate, which had held the property on Madison Avenue diagonally opposite the Morgan home since the early part of the last century. The ASTORS, large property holders in many parts of the city, sought long ago to dispose of this plot, but were prevented from so doing by legal protests.

It was inevitable, however, that the onward march of trade would finally prove successful. This has been the history of New York real estate. One by one the old fashionable quarters have succumbed. Zoning laws and other restrictions have operated to preserve some of them intact for a few years longer than might have been expected. But unless the new restrictions are firmly upheld the spread of stores and office buildings will ultimately invade the last residential strongholds.

**Poor Communications Corrupt Good Manners.**

A familiar explanation of DICKENS'S rough treatment of this country in his "American Notes" and "Martin Chuzzlewit" was restated the other day by Sir ALFRED ROBBINS before the English-Speaking Union in London. The "sulphurous haze" through which DICKENS saw America was induced by his detestation of slavery. It is fair to presume that without the background of the peculiar institution Colonel Jefferson Brick would have impressed the author of "Pickwick" as no more malignant than the editor of the Eatanswill Gazette of DICKENS'S own homeland. But Colonel Jefferson Brick made the bird of freedom scream in an unfavorable setting, and in addition he spat abominably. DICKENS had other reasons. He disapproved of our penal institutions and thought our copyright practices were piracy.

Still more personal would be a factor which is seldom taken into account in appraising a traveler's reactions to a foreign scene; and that is the sheer fatigue and discomfort of travel. If DICKENS saw the American scene of 1870 in kindlier mood than in 1840, one reason would be that crossing the Atlantic in 1870 was a much more comfortable business than thirty years earlier, and even the 1870 accommodations would be regarded today as fairly miserable.

The American tourist in Europe today, under the best of Cook's auspices, usually wears down under the strain. As the first flush of novelty wears off the sense of homelessness emerges. The tourist feels that he does not belong. His lot is cast with foreigners who insist on speaking in their own unfamiliar tongue, editing newspapers in their own silly fashion, cooking according to their own deluded tastes, giving change in their own queer coinage and examining trunks at every frontier.

Foreign opinion of America has grown kindlier as the comforts of travel in this country have increased, but even our comforts require adjustment on the part of the traveler. A rare visitor like ARNOLD BENNETT falls in love with our Pullman sleepers, but the usual foreigner on a Pullman is still like Mr. Dooley, who thought the sleeping car a wonderful institution—you went to bed in one at St. Louis and next morning you were still awake in Chicago. The mere act of moving about in a country which it takes four days to traverse by the fastest trains is apt to wear out the observer from one of Europe's compact little countries which are like MARK TWAIN'S ancient Palestinian kingdoms—you stood in the middle of one kingdom and threw bricks into the next.

**Workers and Management.**

The report of the Russell Sage Foundation on "Sharing Management With the Workers" is highly interesting and significant so far as it goes. The plant selected, the Dutchess Bleachery at Wappingers Falls, N. Y., is admittedly a favorable example:

> As managers, the representatives of the operatives have displayed good business judgment. Not only have they utilized the machinery of the partnership plan to present and adjust grievances, but they have cooperated in the constructive tasks of running a factory. They have suggested such methods of increasing efficiency as time clocks, foremen's conferences and mass meetings. Together with representatives of the stockholders they elected the present manager and superintendent. The whole tenor of their participation has been not "How much can we get out of the bleachery for ourselves?" but "What can we do to make this a successful and efficient business enterprise for every one concerned?"

It will be observed that managers and stockholders participated in all important decisions and presumably retain the balance of power. Strictly speaking, the experiment is one in "capitalism" as opposed to "industrial democracy." Yet in the broader sense of the word the spirit is democratic. In certain needle trades of this city the demand for industrial democracy is fiercely socialistic. Yet the evidence thus far indicates that such participation as has been achieved in the affairs of management has improved their morale as workers, giving them a deeper interest in the industry and a more realistic sense of its needs.

**Inaugural Ball for "Ma" Ferguson.**

As a political ceremony "Ma" FERGUSON'S inauguration will surpass all precedents. Women have sat in the House of Representatives. One woman was sworn in as a Senator, but her appointment by a friendly Governor was only a compliment. She passed immediately from the scene. Now Texas, the least feminine of States, the most robust, judging from its frontier history, is to have a woman for Governor. Who would have dreamed of it a few years ago? It is the breezy and assertive West and Southwest that have been the first to honor women by choosing one as Governor.

No sooner was Texas admitted to the Union than her frontiersmen, the most heroic among them, were sent to Washington. They were picturesque characters and dressed for the part. Texas has always been regarded as a man's State. But the time is near when "Ma" FERGUSON'S inaugural ball will be the biggest news event in the history of Texas. On the night of the day she is inaugurated as Governor there will be such a dance as Texas never saw before.

Austin is to entertain 100,000 visitors. To the inaugural ceremony 7,500 persons have been formally invited. The Senate Chamber will be the scene of the ball. As many couples as can crowd into it will dance till dawn. Who will have the honor of leading out Governor FERGUSON after she addresses the Legislature in joint session? As a cross-section of Texas politics and society this inaugural ball will be worth traveling far to see. No man-made ball could compare with it.

### The Hegira to Florida.

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

It is interesting to note the hegira of Republicans of large means from the rock-ribbed Republican State of Wisconsin to the equally rock-ribbed Democratic State of Florida. It is the men of large means who are going. Florida, having recently adopted a constitutional amendment prohibiting the levy of inheritance and income taxes, is a fit haven for these refugees, as well as for similar ones from other States. Our precious lawmakers here laugh at the idea that the State may be deprived of its rich men as subjects of taxation; but the situation may easily become one in which they can laugh no more. And in Florida, it is a comfort for us others to reflect, their good Republican votes will be "sunk without trace." Spurios versenkt, as our friends the Germans said.

J. M. PLEASANTS.
Menasha, Wis., Dec. 14, 1924.

### Lady Astor's Portrait.

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

It was with deep mortification that I read in yesterday's TIMES of the refusal by the House of Commons to permit the hanging of Lady Astor's picture in the House. I am of English birth, therefore feel the more acutely an act so stultified and pleasure by a Government supposedly open-minded and progressive. Lord Astor's reply to the Commissioner of Works bespoke the Christian and the true gentleman.

"BETTY."
Yonkers, N. Y., Dec. 11, 1924.

### RED LILY.

Cellini's studio, I know, looks full upon the square.
And Giotto's Campanile can be seen from off the stair.
I'd like to push the door aside and step right out to view
*La città dei fiori*, with its lily, red of hue!
Duomo of the Flowers! How I feast my eyes upon
Your dome by Brunelleschi, and your Baptistry St. John.
Whose Gates of Florence, in my youth, I knew so well by heart;
How they were formed of pictured squares, yet every one a part
Of the magic tale of Paradise—Ghiberti's masterpiece.
Eternal in pure loveliness, where prayers never cease.
But leave the square and cross the bridge, Uffizi and the Pitti;
Raphael and Del Sarto's here, but all about the city,
In palaces, in convent's close, in galleries old and new—
There's Ghirlandajo, Angelico, and Botticelli, too.
But when I pause and fold my hands is in the little cell
Where Savonarola knelt and prayed to save his own from hell.
His own! Who let him walk through fire till flames leaped o'er his head—
His Florence of the Flowers! But whose lily's hue is red.
And so, within Cellini's walls, no lily with white for creed
Throws fragrance chaste upon the air.
Red lilies they are, indeed!

GEORGIA FRASER.

## MAIL RATES FOR MAGAZINES.

### A Publisher Charges Discrimination as Against the Rates for Books.

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

The taxpaying public is naturally interested in learning from the report of the Postmaster General that the service of the Post Office during the past fiscal year has brought a deficiency (comprising the difference between receipts and expenditures) amounting to over $132,000,000. Of this deficiency nearly $75,000,000 was to be debited to the second class, covering the cost of carriage of periodicals, magazines and weeklies.

In the larger number of these periodicals a great portion, and in some the greater portion, of the pages are devoted to advertising matter.

One of the weeklies, having a very large circulation, is reported as costing to print per number, pressework and paper, an average of 24 cents. The retail price of this weekly is 5 cents, a price which brings to the publishers for copies sold through the dealers a net return of about 3½ cents. This substantial loss per copy is made up (and a good deal more than made up) by the receipts from the advertising pages.

It is evident, therefore, that the publication of a periodical of this character cannot correctly be described as a "literary undertaking." The purpose of the publication is to sell advertising space, and this business is made profitable because the taxpayers are compelled to make up for its maintenance and for its dividends a contribution of $75,000,000.

This concession to the publishers of periodicals constitutes an example of protection carried to the extreme, and the beneficiaries of this protection may fairly be described as a privileged class. If has been contended that the distribution of these periodicals—magazines and weekly—is important for the intellectual development of the community. If this be true for magazines, the claim can be made with better warrant for books.

Under the present postal system, however, the distribution of books is discriminated against, as compared with the distribution of magazines and weeklies.

The cost of sending a two-pound book to Chicago (the rate varies with the zone) is 14 cents. The cost of sending a magazine or weekly to Chicago, assuming for the calculation that it is made up one-half of text and one-half of advertising, would be:

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| For the reading matter per pound | .01½ |
| For the advertising matter per pound | .06 |
| Together | .07½ |

The cost of sending a two-pound book to San Francisco, at the rate of 12 cents per pound, costs 24 cents, which is something more than double the amount paid for the magazine or weekly.

In each case the magazine or weekly has a substantial advantage, the postal charge being less than one-half of that debited to the book.

In any plan for the reshaping of postal rates, consideration may properly be given to the large contribution now made by the taxpayers for carrying on the business of the periodical publishers and to the special advantage given under the present rates for the distribution of magazines and weeklies as compared with the charge made for the distribution of books.

GEORGE HAVEN PUTNAM.
New York, Dec. 17, 1924.

## THE EXTENT OF SPACE.

### The Newtonian Conception Is Contrasted With That of the Relativists.

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

A far-reaching consequence of the general theory of relativity is that the universe of matter and space is finite.

This view of the universe as a whole is diametrically opposed to that of Newton, who regarded the material universe as a finite island in an infinite ocean of space. In the centre of this island the density of the stars is a maximum, diminishing as we proceed outward from the centre, until finally it is succeeded by boundless vacuity.

The flaw in this conception lies in the fact that the universe is conceived as having its whole being gathered at a single absolute centre. In such a universe, the light emitted by the stars, must be carried beyond the bodies attracting them to continue in the same straight line forever. Such a finite material universe would be destined to become gradually but systematically impoverished.

If, as consistent relativists, we believe the universe had no beginning, then the fact that there are stars everywhere, and that the density of matter though very variable in detail is, nevertheless, on the average everywhere the same, is proof conclusive that as regards space the universe is spherical or quasi-spherical, and the career of the material universe is therefore a continuous curve. In other words, if the universe is infinite and without beginning ample time has elapsed for all the stars in the stellar system to have passed out into infinite space, never to return and never again to come into interaction with one another.

But here they are, apparently none the worse for their celestial wanderings, or, at any rate, here are stars that have arisen from the ashes of former worlds, affording living proof of the finiteness and curvature of space.

Again, on the hypothesis of an unlimited space filled with ether, it seems an unavoidable conclusion that the quantity of motion possessed by an island universe must diminish by radiation until the matter of the universe would reach a state of absolute rest. The stellar universe in that case would be a colossal sphynx in a starless desert.

But the fact that the material universe is still functioning is proof strong as Holy Writ that space is spherical; that is to say, it is finite and yet boundless.

HENRY L. PHILLIPS.
New York, Dec. 13, 1924.

### The New Ford Plant at St. Paul.

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

In the Nov. 23 issue of your very good paper I find a special dispatch to THE NEW YORK TIMES from Milwaukee, Wis., referring to the proposal to electrify the lines of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway throughout the West. In this item it is stated "The project has received impetus from the offer of Henry Ford to supply power from his hydroelectric plant which is now being completed on the banks of the Mississippi River at Minneapolis."

As a matter of fact, the Ford hydroelectric and manufacturing plant now being constructed, at a cost of approximately $10,000,000, is located entirely within the limits of the City of St. Paul. We are doing considerable municipal advertising at the present time, not only in connection with the establishment here of the Ford plant, but with the idea of building this city industrially. We are firmly of the opinion that, with decentralizing of industry in the East, St. Paul stands in a strategic position in the Northwest to obtain a number of factories proposed to be located in this section of the country. Necessarily we are interested in recognition of the fact that these large plants are actually locating in the City of St. Paul.

I hope that in future articles relating to the same subject St. Paul may get the recognition to which, as the home of the Ford Northwest plant, we feel it is entitled.

ARTHUR E. NELSON, Mayor.
City of St. Paul, Executive Department, Dec. 12, 1924.

## ASKS $50,000,000 FOR TAX REFUNDS

### President Coolidge's Request to the House Anticipates Payments Up to March, 1925.

### $43,405,446 TURNED BACK

### Budget Director Lord Submits a List Showing Four Months of Repayments.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—President Coolidge sent a letter to the House today asking for a supplemental appropriation of $50,000,000 for tax refunds in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925.

Accompanying the Presidential letter was another from Brig. Gen. H. M. Lord, Budget Director, stating that $43,405,446.57 had been refunded during the first four months of the current fiscal year, but that $94,011,300 additional would be needed before the year's end. The $50,000,000 would pay claims until March 1, 1925, he wrote.

In his letter General Lord said that in the last four fiscal years refunds had been made as follows:

1921, $28,656,457.95; 1922, $48,184,127.38; 1923, $123,992,820.94; 1924, $137,006,225.65.

"During the first four months of the present fiscal year, or for the period July 1-Oct. 31, 1924, inclusive, $43,405,446.57 has been refunded, including $17,326,582.74, representing 25 per cent. reduction of individual income taxes for the year 1923," General Lord wrote.

The budget officer went on to say that to provide for the latter payments there was included in the second deficiency act of 1924, which failed to pass the Senate in the last session, an item of $16,140,000..

**Appropriation Now Reduced.**

"Subsequent to the failure of this bill the Controller General on June 21, 1924, decided that certain appropriations for refunding taxes illegally collected were available for making the 25 per cent. refunds, and payments were therefore made as above stated," continued General Lord. "The second deficiency act of 1924 was enacted into law on Dec. 5, 1924, and the amount therein appropriated for the 25 per cent. refunds has since been transferred to the credit of appropriations for refunding taxes illegally collected, which was used for making the refund."

The effect of these payments, however, seriously reduced the appropriations for refunds. On Nov. 1 of this year the amount of claims allowed and on hand awaiting payments amounted to $16,966,251.78, against which there were unencumbered appropriations balances as follows:

Refunding taxes illegally collected in 1924 and prior years, $2,020,761.16; for same purpose in 1923 and prior years, $354,473.73; total, $2,375,260.89.

"These appropriation balances, together with the $16,140,000 recently credited by the Controller General, will permit of the payment of the claims on hand and ready for payment on Nov. 1 and leave a balance of $1,528,979.11. The Bureau of Internal Revenue has estimated, however, that claims to the amount of $94,011,300 will be allowed for payment during the period from Nov. 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925."

**Availability Held Important.**

It was important, said General Lord, that the funds should be made available in view of the provisions in the 1928 revenue act which stipulated 6 per cent. interest on illegally collected taxes.

"It is desirable that the expenses of at least the first half of the fiscal year 1925, or that period from July 1 to Dec. 31, 1924, should be available before a supplemental estimate for the full year is prepared for transmission to Congress. In view of the above facts, however, the Bureau of Internal Revenue requested that $50,000,000 be appropriated at this time, which amount it believes should be sufficient promptly to pay all claims allowed until March 1, 1925, and has submitted an estimate therefor.

"This estimate is required to meet an emergency which has arisen since the transmission of the budget for the fiscal year 1925."

## LONDON GETS WNYC MUSIC.

### Programs From New York and Philadelphia Are Heard.

A program of dance and organ music played in New York and Philadelphia last night from 6 to 7 o'clock was broadcast to England by the short wave transmitter at Station KDKA, Pittsburgh. A microphone in the studio of WOO, Philadelphia, was connected to the Pittsburgh transmitter by land wires from me to 6:30 P. M., and from 6:30 to 7 P. M. the KDKA installation was connected by wires with WNYC, New York.

Low wave lengths radiated from Pittsburgh were intercepted in England, amplified and rebroadcast by British stations using wave lengths similar to those used by American broadcasting stations. A similar program was broadcast last week and the English listeners reported good reception. Cables received from London last night reported that the dance music played in New York from 6:30 to 7 o'clock was clearer than the music from Philadelphia a half hour earlier.

## YALE FAILS TO GET SONG.

### Closes $1,000 Competition After Three Unsuccessful Attempts.

*Special to The New York Times.*

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 17.—After three attempts to obtain a new Yale song by competition, the university authorities, acting through a special committee, have announced that no award will be made from the words submitted.

Two years ago a purse of $1,000 was offered anonymously for a song. After two competitions the committee of judges, serving under the auspices of the Alumni Advisory Board, started a new one last Spring.

The announcement by the judges tonight that no award will be made indicates that the large number of songs submitted were not satisfactory.

Because of these failures the committee's recommendation to the Alumni Advisory Board that the offer be not renewed has been adopted and the competition is closed.

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# MARJORIE HUGHES ENGAGED TO MARRY

### Daughter of Mrs. Grenville Parker to Wed Edward de Witt Walsh, Harvard Graduate.

### MISS KELLEY BETROTHED

### Debutante's Engagement to Henry D. Keresey Announced at a Luncheon at the Park Lane.

Mrs. Grenville Parker of 152 East Thirty-fifth Street has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Marjorie W. Hughes, to Edward de Witt Walsh, son of the late Edward de Witt Walsh of this city. Miss Hughes is a graduate of the Brearley School and is a member of the Junior League. She made her début three years ago. She is a sister of Mrs. Hampton Lynch and a daughter of the late Thomas P. Hughes. Mr. Walsh is a graduate of Harvard, class of '23, and is a member of the Banquet and Tennis and the Union clubs.

No date has been mentioned for the wedding.

**Kelley—Keresey.**

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Francis Kelley of 907 Fifth Avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Kelley, to Henry Donnelly Keresey, son of Mrs. Mary Donnelly Keresey of 9 East Ninety-third Street, at a luncheon yesterday at the Park Lane. Miss Kelley was graduated from the Westover School in June, and is a débutante of the season. Mr. Keresey is general sales manager of the rolling mills department of the Anaconda Copper Company. He attended Loyola School, and is a graduate of Georgetown University.

Among those present at the luncheon were the Misses Geraldine McAlpin, Marjorie Ryan, Katherine Leslie, Alice Leslie, Esther Leslie, Katherine Douglas, Natalie Hanna, Elisabeth Douglas, Mary Moore, Dorothy Farnsworth, Katherine Kelley, Frances Kelley, Caroline Clark, Lois McCall, Clarissa Hurd, Winifred Rockefeller and Elaine McAlpin, as well as Mrs. Jean Jacques Bertschmann, Mrs. Junius Richards, Mrs. Peter Maloney, Mrs. Gustave Erbe, Mrs. John Stafford, Mrs. Maynard Ivison and Mrs. William Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley gave a large dinner at the Park Lane last night in honor of their daughter and Mr. Keresey.

**Morris—Bakwin.**

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Neilson of 4,800 Drexel Boulevard, Chicago, have announced the engagement of Mrs. Neilson's daughter, Dr. Ruth Mae Morris, to Dr. Harry Bakwin of 1,075 Park Avenue, this city. The date for the wedding has not been set.

## BANKER'S SON WEDS MAE DAW OF 'FOLLIES'

### Graveraet Y. Kaufman, 23, Takes Bride of 19, Who Is Now Out of the Cast.

It was learned last night that Graveraet Young Kaufman, son of Louis G. Kaufman, President of the Chatham and Phenix National Bank, was married on Tuesday to Miss Mae Daw, who has been appearing in the Ziegfeld "Follies." The bridegroom's father, at his home at 270 Park Avenue, said that the wedding "was not sensational in any way," and that the couple had been engaged for a year. The ceremony took place in New York City at noon on Tuesday, but Mr. Kaufman was disinclined to furnish further details.

The bride is 19 years of age and comes from Philadelphia. She made her first stage appearance in "Sally," and has taken part in the last three Ziegfeld "Follies." In the current edition she had been promoted to the rank of principal. Since her marriage to Mr. Kaufman, however, she has not appeared in the show, and it was said last night that she would not again appear on the stage. The couple, Mr. Kaufman said, have departed on a bridal trip.

The bridegroom is 23 years old and is an assistant cashier in the Chatham and Phenix Bank.

## RUPERT HUGHES TO MARRY.

### Novelist Is to Wed Patterson Dial, Screen Actress.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 17.—Rupert Hughes, novelist and motion-picture director, and Elizabeth Patterson Dial, known to the screen as Patterson Dial, will be married early next year, it was announced tonight by relatives of Miss Dial.

Hughes's second wife, Adelaide Mould Hughes, committed suicide at Haiphong, French Indo-China, a year ago.

Mr. Hughes's first wife was Miss Agnes Wheeler Hedge, daughter of Charles L. Hedge of Syracuse. They were divorced in 1905. He was married to Miss Adelaide Mould in 1908.

**Lieut. Kolmartes Takes a Bride.**

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The marriage of Miss Dorothy Campbell and Lieutenant Benjamin Stacy Kolmartes, U. S. N., took place at 5 o'clock this evening at the suburban home of the bride's parents, former Representative and Mrs. Philip Pitt Campbell, with the Rev. William Martin of Christ Church, Alexandria, officiating.

Miss Margaret Campbell and Lieutenant Thomas C. Latimore, U. S. N., a classmate of the bridegroom, were the only attendants.

**Campbell—Wilkin.**

Mrs. Helen McIntosh Wilkin and Robert Graeme Campbell, both of Utica, N. Y., were married at the home of the bride's brother, George M. McIntosh, 70 East Fifty-fifth Street, on Monday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. L. Mason Clark of the First Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn. Only members of the immediate families of the bride and bridegroom attended the wedding.

**Pilgrims to Dine Viscount Cecil.**

Viscount Cecil of Chelwood, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster in the Baldwin Cabinet, who arrives here next Tuesday to receive the first award of $25,000 of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation "for meritorious service of a public character tending to the establishment of peace," will make a very brief stay in this country. He is booked to sail for England on Saturday, Jan. 3. On the eve of his departure, that is on Friday, Jan. 2, Lord Cecil will be entertained by The Pilgrims of the United States at a dinner at the Plaza, with Chauncey M. Depew, President of the society, in the chair.

**Tableaux Vivants in Astor Home.**

Tableaux vivants will be presented this afternoon and tonight for the benefit of the Lenox Hill Studio, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Astor. The afternoon program will be posed by Miss Elizabeth Fisher and the tableaux at night will be arranged by Claggett Wilson. Children will take part in the program of portraits by old masters in the afternoon, and there will be group tableaux of mothers and children. The evening performances will include monologues by Miss Ruth Draper, in addition to three groups of tableaux.

## SOCIAL NOTES

**New York.**

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt gave a dinner and dance last night at their home, 640 Fifth Avenue.

Professor and Mrs. H. Fairfield Osborn will give a dinner on Christmas night in their apartment at 998 Fifth Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Gaillard Thomas have closed Thanet House, their place in Southampton, and are at the Blackstone for the remainder of the Winter.

James Speyer will give at his home, 1,059 Fifth Avenue, on Christmas Eve his customary dinner party.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Rhoades and Miss Carol Rhoades have come from Sharon, Conn., to the Gotham, where also are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Rossiter of Glen Cove, L. I.

Mrs. Marsden J. Perry of Providence and Block House, Newport, R. I., has taken an apartment for the Winter at the Hotel Weylin.

Mrs. François de St. Phalle has come from Philadelphia and is at the Ritz-Carlton, where Mrs. Edwin L. Blabon and Mrs. Walter Blabon of Bryn Mawr, Pa., are also staying.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McCarthy Little of Rumson, N. J., are at the Plaza, where are also Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carhart of Locust Valley, L. I.

Mrs. Cleveland F. Bacon gave a luncheon at Sherry's yesterday and among her guests were Mrs. George Gore MacCracken, Mrs. George T. Brokaw, Mrs. Roger Lamson and Mrs. DeLancey Robinson.

Mrs. Frederick De Witt Wells of 8 East Fifty-second Street, will give a luncheon for her débutante daughter, Miss Mary Valette Wells, at Pierre's on Saturday.

Mrs. Richard S. Barnes and Miss Mary E. Sackett have come from Washington, D. C., and are at the Lorraine for a short stay.

Mrs. William Alexander gave a luncheon at the St. Regis yesterday, her guests including the Duchess de Richelieu, Mrs. M. Orme Wilson and Mrs. J. Sergeant Cram.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred P. Gardiner of 829 Park Avenue will give a luncheon at Sherry's today for their débutante daughter, Miss Adele Gardiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Maxwell of Glen Cove are at the St. Regis. Miss Marie Harjes, who has been at the hotel, sailed on the Majestic to spend the holidays with her parents in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Carley Harriman have taken an apartment at the Park Lane.

Miss Louisa Wilson, who has been ill in Washington, D. C., is leaving today for the Wilson plantation at Pritchard, S. C. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Wilson, who have taken an apartment at 300 Park Avenue, will leave in January for Pritchard and later go to Palm Beach.

Mrs. Theodore Schumacher gave a luncheon at the Lido-Venice yesterday for Mrs. J. Bentley Squier, Mrs. H. Archibald Pell, Mme. Rafael de Zaldivar, Mrs. Imre de Josika Herczeg, Mrs. Frederic Ashton de Peyster, Mrs. Robert Morris Phillips, Mrs. Joseph Lentilhon, Mrs. Robert Graham Bacon, Mrs. William M. Leslie and Mrs. Alfred H. Curtis.

Mrs. Charles Steele gave a luncheon at the Plaza yesterday for her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Louis Debonnesset of Paris, who are with Mrs. Steele for the holiday season.

Count and Countess Costantini, who have gone to Palm Beach for a visit of several weeks, will stay at the Madison when they return.

Mrs. Benjamin S. Guinness, who sailed for England yesterday, will be joined later by Mr. Guinness, who will remain at the Ambassador until Dec. 27, when he will sail on the Olympic.

Mrs. Sherwood Aldrich gave a luncheon at the Park Lane yesterday for Mrs. Charles Edward Van Vleck. Among the guests were Mrs. William Hayward, Mrs. Griswold Thompson, Mrs. Crawford Hill, Mrs. Clement Tobin, Mrs. Kenneth Van Riper, Mrs. Henry Rokenbaugh, Mrs. Frederick White and Mrs. Langdon Harriss.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Gillespie have come from their country place at Morristown, N. J., and are at the Vanderbilt.

## DEBUTANTES HAVE A ROUND OF PARTIES

### Miss Cawthra Gives a Luncheon at Riding Club—Miss Dittmar Entertained.

Miss Genevieve Cawthra, whose engagement to Ivor Kenway was recently announced, gave a luncheon yesterday at the Riding Club. Among the guests were the Misses Beatrice Beard, Dorothy Quinn, Elisabeth Cawthra and Mrs. Elliott Phillips, Mrs. Reginald C. Hisco, Mrs. Warren Barbour, Mrs. James Schmelzel, Mrs. Frederick Barbour, Mrs. Martin Quinn, Mrs. William Mather and Mrs. Edgar Appleby.

Mrs. Winchester Fitch and her daughter, Miss Dorothy Fitch, gave a reception at their home, 21 East Eighteenth Street, yesterday for Mrs. Fitch's niece, Miss Cornelia Ingersoll, débutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ingersoll of the Plaza Hotel. Assisting in receiving were Mrs. Horace L. Hotchkiss 3d. Mrs. Elliot Schuyler Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ingersoll of the Plaza Hotel. Assisting in receiving were Mrs. Horace L. Hotchkiss 3d. Mrs. Elliot Schuyler Phillips, Miss Louise Clinton Field, Miss Frances Miller, Mrs. William T. Dewart and Mrs. Frederick Mosle.

Mrs. William Drew Dittmar gave a luncheon yesterday in the crystal room of the Ritz-Carlton for her débutante daughter, Miss Margaret Mackenzie Dittmar. Among the guests were the Misses Doris Laidlaw, Mabel Burchard, Katherine Brodhead, Elizabeth Kress, Emily Bushnell, Mary Louise McClellan, Margaret Stokes, Katherine Conville, Harriet Daly, Marion Burke, Virginia McClellan, Dorothy Fitch, Paula Murray, Charlotte Walker, Cadence Hamilton, Dorothy Sykes, Emily Rockwood, Helen O'Kyan, Leonie Fuller, Jane Houghtaling, Eva Taylor, Margaret Metcalf, Mary McBee, Dorothy McEwan, Adele Gardiner, Frances Gibb, Bertha Bates, Constance Slade, Helen Tefft, Mary Rawlins, Marjorie Oelrich, Janet Lee, Betty Voorhees, Dorothy Warren, Katharine Babst, Anna Peters, Una Kaufman, Ethel Lewis, Elizabeth W. Bull, Elizabeth Whiting, Maud Ellinger, Grace Cody, Marian Lee, Janet O'Kyan, Dorothy Havemeyer, Dorothy Borden, Kathryn Field, Cornelia Ruppert, Yvonne Brulatour, Marian Gould, Pauline Stevenson, Hazel Nichols, Helen Hackett, Helen Duncan.

Also Ada Barker, Joan Kaufman, Dorothy O'Ryan, Jean Brevoort, Katharine Coe, Dorothea Kibbe, Virginia Bedell, Dorothy Walker, Mildred Biddle, Kathryn Jordan, Jacqueline Julian, Virginia Hufdel, Martha Cooke, Patricia Hamilton, Madeline Simmons and Mrs. Henry A. Bishop Jr., Mrs. Myles Tierney, Mrs. Frederick Gahagan, Mrs. John North, Mrs. Charles Warner, Mrs. Huyler Held and Mrs. A. A. Ward.

Mrs. Rollin Kirby of 27 Washington Square North gave a luncheon yesterday at Pierre's for her débutante daughter, Miss Janet Kirby. Her guests included the Misses Louise Whitfield, Zelia Crook, Anne Childress, Nancy Watson, Mary Chester, Lydia Shattuck, Edith Colby, Frances Riker, Betty Franklin, Fay Kimbro, Betty Stoddard, Constance McCann, Emilie Bushnell, Mary Smedberg, Betsy Ashmore, Doris Brixey, Fanny Wickes, Adele Brookfield, Jean Banks, Dorothy Iselin, Edith Woodward, Thalia Mallett, Josephine Willcox, Frances Miller, Ned Chatillon, Patty Pease, Katherine Murchison, Maude Bouvier, Rita Delafield, Michelle Bouvier, Helen Potter, Rosamond Bowker, Eleanor Pettinos and Evelyn Sargent.

**Delta Upsilon Order Limited.**

THE TIMES of Dec. 14 carried an item to the effect that J. F. Newman, Inc., had been enjoined by the Delta Upsilon Fraternity from manufacturing its insignia. A letter from Gifford & Scull, counsel for J. F. Newman, Inc., states that "the order is limited to a specific design for the coat of arms" and does not restrain them from manufacturing and selling other designs on which the copyright period has expired.

**Edgar Selwyn to Be Operated On.**

Edgar Selwyn, the playwright and producer, will be operated upon today at the Harbor Sanitarium, 667 Madison Avenue. The nature of his illness was not announced.

# STATE AND NATION HONOREX-GOV. GLYNN

### Prominent Men at High Mass Celebrated by Vicar-General Delaney in Albany.

### NO EULOGY WITH RITUAL

### Gov. Smith Among the Mourners—Catholic Clergy Fill Chancel of the Cathedral.

ALBANY, Dec. 17.—Former Governor Martin H. Glynn was laid at rest in St. Agnes Cemetery here today after fitting services at his Willett Street residence and at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. Hundreds of prominent personages of both the State and nation paid final tribute at the bier of the man who was credited with effecting peace between Great Britain and Ireland and who gained wide acclaim through his services in public life.

The Rt. Rev. Joseph A. Delaney, Vicar General of the Catholic diocese of Albany, celebrated a solemn high requiem mass at the cathedral. The Rev. William T. Brennan of Cohoes and the Rev. William R. Charles of Albany officiated as deacons at the mass.

All the various fields of endeavor in which the former Governor engaged prior to his sudden death last Sunday of acute dilatation of the heart were represented at the funeral. Among those present were Governor Alfred E. Smith, Supreme Court Justices Edward J. McGoldrick and Robert F. Wagner; Surrogate Foley of New York, Maurice Bloch, Democratic leader of the New York Assembly; Dr. John H. Finley of New York, Morgan J. O'Brien of New York, former Supreme Court Justice; former Judge John W. Hogan of the Court of Appeals, Nicholas F. Brady of New York and Albany, William Church Osborn of New York and Garrison, James F. Tracy, former Presiding Justice of the Philippine Supreme Court; Norman E. Mack of Buffalo, Democratic National Committeeman; former Mayor John F. Fitzgerald of Boston and John J. Lenahan, President of the American Irish Historical Society.

Nearly every parish in the Roman Catholic diocese of Albany was represented by its pastor and the chancel of the spacious cathedral was filled with clergy. The service was confined to the impressive ritual of the Church and there was no eulogy.

## AUCTION RECORD PRICE SET FOR AN ETCHING

### 3,600 Guineas Is Paid for Rembrandt First State at Rudge Sale in London.

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LONDON, Dec. 17.—Today's sale at Christie's of etchings by old masters, formed by an ancestor of the vendor, John Edward Rudge, was even more remarkable than that of Tuesday. A total of £20,935 was realized.

The most important item of the afternoon was a first state of a superb Rembrandt etching, dating from about 1656, of Arnoldus Tholinx, Inspector of Medical Colleges at Amsterdam. So rare is a first state of this etching that Professor Hind in his monograph on "Rembrandt Etchings" could trace only two examples, one in the British Museum and the other in the Rothschild collection.

The bidding for the third and hitherto unknown example yesterday started at 500 guineas. It was sold to a London buyer despite the efforts of competitors from Amsterdam, at 3,600 guineas. The price is a world's auction record for an engraving or etching. The extraordinary differences between the original prices paid for some of these etchings and those realized now prompted again illusted in the case of the only known state of the "The Gold Weighers Field." This was purchased by E. Rudge in 1799 for half a guinea; yesterday it sold for 1,650 guineas.

Another very high price of 920 guineas was paid for one etching and 380 for another. Other Rembrandt etchings sold for 150, 125, 200, 140, 290, 350, 180, 420, 520 and 340 guineas.

The first Van Dyck etchings did not fetch such prices. Some of these brought 240, 160 and 145 guineas.

## HENRY SELIGMANS HOST S AT DINNER

### Entertain for Their Son-in-Law and Daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henri van Heukolom.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seligman gave a dinner last night at their home, 20 West Fifty-sixth Street, for their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henri van Heukolom, and their granddaughter, Miss Katherine van Heukolom. The guests were seated at three tables, which were decorated with flowers, and as dinner was being served there was music by a Hungarian orchestra.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Morgan J. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. William D. Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Damrosch, Justice and Mrs. Norman S. Dike, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Erhart, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Fish, Colonel and Mrs. William Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Lewisohn, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warburg and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Vos.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Brokaw, ex-Governor and Mrs. Charles S. Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harkness Flagler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smithers, Mrs. Ernest Ingram, Mrs. Walter Blabon, Mrs. Hartman Kuhn Evans, Dr. John Freeland, Charles Hayden, Forest March, Walter Seligman, Arthur Williams and Justice Richard Lydon.

**Oriental Bazaar Successful.**

The Oriental Bazaar, under the auspices of the alumni of Robert College in Constantinople, the American University of Beirut, Syria, and the Constantinople Woman's College, ended its third day yesterday at the Hotel Roosevelt and will be continued until Christmas at the home of Cleveland H. Dodge, 50 Park Avenue. It was said last night that the bazaar had been successful.

**Yale to Give "The Galloper" Tonight**

A number of prominent women will act as patronesses for the Yale University Dramatic Association's production of "The Galloper," a comedy by Richard Harding Davis, which will take place tonight in the ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria. Tickets for the play may be obtained at the Yale Club, 50 Vanderbilt Avenue.

**Col. Tuck to Wed Miss Smith.**

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The engagement is announced between Lieut. Colonel G. L. J. Tuck, C. M. G., D. S. O., of London, and Marion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tunstall Smith of Baltimore.

**Joseph Wertheim Dies in His Auto.**

Joseph Wertheim, President of the Webster Cigar Company of Detroit, Mich., died suddenly from heart disease in his automobile yesterday as he was being driven to his home at the Hotel Ansonia. Mr. Wertheim became ill when the automobile had reached Sixty-eighth Street and Amsterdam Avenue. Before physicians could attend him he had succumbed. He was 58 years old and is survived by a son, Metzger, also living at the Ansonia.

Christmas is but seven days away and the HUMMING BIRD EXPRESS CARES will remain the neediest miles you take.

## EX-GOV. CAMPBELL DIES IN OHIO HOME

### Former Congressman and State Political Leader Is Stricken After Dinner.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 17.—James E. Campbell, former Governor of Ohio, aged 81, died suddenly at his home here tonight. He was stricken with heart disease soon after returning from a testimonial dinner in honor of John E. Sater, former United States District Judge, where Mr. Campbell had delivered an address.

While his death was unexpected to his friends and associates, it had been expected for some time by members of his household. Signs of failing health had been evident, they said, since his attendance at the National Democratic Convention in New York last Summer.

Governor Campbell was one of the best-known Democratic chiefs in Ohio and was widely known among national leaders. He was a stanch supporter of James M. Cox at the San Francisco Convention in 1920. It was largely Mr. Campbell's influence that kept the supporters of Mr. Cox in line and finally won victory for the Ohio man, it was said.

Mr. Campbell was educated in Middletown, Ohio, public schools and in 1863 entered the United States Marine service. After his discharge he took up the study of law, being admitted to the bar in 1865.

He was elected to Congress three successive times from three different Ohio districts. He was elected Governor of Ohio in 1891 and was defeated by McKinley two years later and again was defeated in 1895. He practiced law in New York for a short time in 1899.

## THRONG AT FUNERAL OF W. V. A. HESTER

### Brooklyn Eagle Presses Stopped During Services for Publisher in Holy Trinity Church.

Funeral services for William Van Arden Hester, late President of The Brooklyn Eagle, were held yesterday morning in the Church of the Holy Trinity, Clinton and Montague Streets, Brooklyn, and in the afternoon the body was laid at rest in Greenwood Cemetery beside that of his wife, to whom he preceded as head of The Eagle. While the services in the church were in progress the presses in the Eagle Building, in Washington Street, were stopped as a mark of respect to the man who was held in loving respect by every employe of the newspaper.

Holy Trinity Church was filled with friends of Mr. Hester, men and women prominent in social and public life. There was a crowd in the street when the body was brought into the church and carried into the flower-banked chancel. The coffin was covered by a pall of flowers, those of the valley, violets, smilax and heather; and many other flowers, the gift of friends of Mr. Hester or of organizations, filled most of the chancel.

As the coffin was carried down the aisle Louis Robert, the organist, played Chopin's Funeral March. The honorary pallbearers were James M. Martin, Dr. Henry B. Minton, Carroll J. Post Jr., W. Eugene Kimball, William N. Dykeman, Herbert L. Gunnison, Arthur M. Howe and Harris M. Crist.

Among the organizations represented were employes from every branch of The Eagle, the Veterans' Association of the Twenty-third Regiment, the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, the New York Press Club and the Association of City Hall Reporters.

Among those in the church were Don C. Seitz of the New York World, Lester L. Jones of the New York Publishers' Association, District Attorney Charles J. Dodd, John N. Harman and Fremont C. Peck of the Brooklyn Times, Supreme Court Justice-elect Edward Riegelmann, Major George Musson of The Standard Union, First Deputy Controller Charles F. Kerrigan and John F. Frost of The Brooklyn Citizen.

## EMMA BOWN EULOGIZED.

### 1,000 Salvation Army Workers Attend Colonel's Funeral.

More than 1,000 Salvation Army workers from all parts of the metropolitan district attended the funeral services held last night in the Memorial Hall of the Salvation Army Headquarters, 122 West Fourteenth Street, for Lieut. Col. Emma J. Bown, prominent Salvationist. Colonel Bown, who founded the Salvation Army Settlement and Rescue Work in the United States, died Sunday night in the Roosevelt Memorial Hospital, 316 East Fifteenth Street, in her sixty-seventh year.

**Mrs. Dorothy Craigie Morris.**

Mrs. Dorothy Craigie Morris, well known newspaper writer and wife of George D. Morris, political editor of The New York Telegram and Evening Mail, died yesterday at her home, 276 Haven Avenue, from heart disease, which she contracted during a recent trip to Porto Rico. Mrs. Morris was a former member of the staff of The Knickerbocker Press, Albany, to which she contributed many feature articles. While in Albany she became political correspondent for The Evening Mail, later joining the local staff of that newspaper as a feature writer. She began her writing by contributing to The Catskill Examiner, a newspaper published by her father, Frederick E. Craigie. Mrs. Morris, who was the first woman to make a non-stop flight across the State of New York, was thirty years old.

**George W. Lederer Jr.**

George W. Lederer Jr., son of the New York theatrical producer and himself a theatrical man, died yesterday at his home, 255 West Eighty-fifth Street, after a lingering illness resulting from laryngial cancer. Mr. Lederer was thirty-three years old, and made his stage début at the age of two. He later followed in his father's footsteps, however, and became a producer of both legitimate and motion picture plays.

**Frederick W. Burlingham.**

*Special to The New York Times.*

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Frederick Wright Burlingham, 65 years, former President of the Associated Harvard Clubs of the World and for many years prominent here in civic, philanthropic and business affairs, died today in his Winnetka home. Most recently Mr. Burlingham had been an insurance counsel. His wife and two daughters survive.

**Moisey D. Gottlieb.**

Moisey Davidowitz Gottlieb, New York musician and conductor, with a studio at Carnegie Hall, died Tuesday morning. Formerly a cappelmeister in Russia and a concertmaster of symphony concerts in London, he came to the United States more than thirty-five years ago. Since that time he had organized symphony orchestras and conducted concerts in New York and Brooklyn where he also started hundreds of young men and women on their musical careers. Mr. Gottlieb was sixty-two years old.

## Obituary Notes.

CLINTON L. STEERS, son of Magistrate Alfred E. Steers, died from heart disease on Tuesday at his home, 1,042 Eighty-first Street, aged 30 years. He was educated at Erasmus High School and Polytechnic Institute. He left a widow, Alice Fitzhadde Steers.

Mrs. MARY PHOENIX REMSEN BELKNAP, widow of Robert Lenox Belknap and mother of Waldron P. Belknap, banker, died Tuesday at her home, 24 East Sixty-third Street. Funeral services will be held at the First Presbyterian Church, Fifth Avenue and Twelfth Street, at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

CHARLES H. LYNCH, chief field deputy of the Syracuse internal revenue district, died at his home there yesterday as the result of an attack of pneumonia. He had served sixteen years as a revenue official in New York and other cities.

Dr. WILLIAM P. BARRY, President of the Rhode Island Medical Society, died suddenly in Woonsocket, R. I., while on his way by automobile to visit friends at Franklin, Mass. He was 53 years old.

## JOHN H. HAVLIN DEAD.

### Retired Theatre and Hotel Owner Dies at Winter Home in Florida.

*Special to The New York Times.*

CINCINNATI, Dec. 17.—John H. Havlin, retired theatrical and hotel man, died today at his Winter home in Miami, Fla. He was 77 years old.

Mr. Havlin was born in Covington, Ky., but spent practically his entire business life in Cincinnati. As a young man he became identified with theatrical interests.

The Havlin Hotel at Vine Street and Opera Place is one of Mr. Havlin's enterprises. He personally directed the building and financing of the hotel. For a number of years he operated the hotel, but sold it in 1920.

Mr. Havlin's real start in the theatrical business was in the building of the Havlin Theatre on Central Avenue, between Fourth and Fifth Streets, which in later years was known as the Lyceum Theatre.

This venture proved a success and a few years later he financed the first Hagenbeck Show, which made him an immense amount of money. He then built three theatres in St. Louis. While in that city Mr. Havlin joined with Edward Stair of Detroit and formed the Stair and Havlin syndicate of popular priced attractions.

**Edward Hall Loud.**

Edward Hall Loud, who with his brother and cousin founded the shipping and commission firm of H. W. Loud & Co., specializing in coastwise and West India trade, died in Madison, N. J., Tuesday, in his eighty-second year. Mr. Loud, who was born at Orrington, Me., came of a long line of seafaring men, being a direct descendant of William Loud, whom Governor Shirley of Massachusetts Bay Colony in 1712 commissioned a Lieutenant of the vessel Prince of Orange.

He is survived by two daughters and two sons.

## Born.

ANDON—Mr. and Mrs. Andon E. Andon announce the birth of a son on Dec. 15, 1924, 62 Clifford Av., Pelham, N. Y.

MAGINSKY—Mr. and Mrs. Elias Maginsky announce the birth of a daughter on Dec. 14, 1924, at the Hunts Point Hospital.

WALLACH—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wallach announce the birth of a daughter on Dec. 16, 1924, at the Hunts Point Hospital, Lafayette Av. and Manida St.

## Married.

NADAL—CALHOUN—At St. James's Church, New York, by the Rev. Father Sill, Sara Ellis Calhoun to Manuel Davett Nadal.

## Died.

ALSOP—At Middletown, Conn., Dec. 17, Aimee Elizabeth, daughter of the late Joseph Wright and Elizabeth Winthrop Beach Alsop. Funeral services at 301 High St., on Saturday, Dec. 20, at 11 A. M.

ANDERSON—Emma, beloved wife of James Anderson. Services Thursday, 3:30 P. M., at John Graham's Chapel, 4,221 Park Av., Bronx.

BALL—Cors, on Dec. 17, beloved wife of the late Isidor Ball and devoted mother of Annie Isaacs, Tillie Jacobs, Sophie Salomon, Edward Ball and the late Emma Meyer, Max and Sarah Ball. Funeral from her late residence, 73 Fort Washington Av., on Friday at 10 A. M. Philadelphia papers please copy.

BARKER—Mary Ogilvie, wife of the late David Sanford Barker, on Wednesday, Dec. 17, at her residence, 1 West 64th St., New York City. Funeral services private.

BECK—At Mamaroneck, N. Y., on Tuesday, Dec. 16, 1924, Wilhelmina, D., beloved wife of Andrew Beck. Funeral services at St. Thomas's Episcopal Church, Mamaroneck, N. Y., on Friday, at 3 P. M. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery.

BECKER—At Belleville, N. J., Dec. 17, 1924, Joseph Becker, age 80 years. Funeral services on Friday, Dec. 19, at 2 P. M., at the chapel, 140 East 97th St., New York City, private. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery.

BELKNAP—On Tuesday, Dec. 16, at her residence, 26 East 63d St., Mary Phoenix Remsen, widow of Robert Lenox Belknap and youngest daughter of the late Henry Rutgers Remsen and the late Elizabeth Waldron Phoenix. Funeral services in the First Presbyterian Church, 5th Av. and 12th St., on Friday, Dec. 19, at 11 A. M. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

BELKNAP—The Colonial Dames of the State of New York announce with deep regret the death on Dec. 17, 1924, of Mrs. Robert Lenox Belknap, a member of the society.

HELEN GILMAN BROWN, President.
HELENA RUTHERFURD MEADE, Sec.

BLACK—On Dec. 16, 1924, Elizabeth, widow of John Black. Services at her late residence, 554 East 17th St., Thursday, 8 P. M. Interment private.

BOKER—Suddenly, Dec. 15, 1924, Edith Wharton, widow of George Boker, at her residence, 208 South 15th St., Philadelphia, Pa. Funeral services on Thursday, Dec. 18, at St. James's Church, 224 and Walnut Sts., Philadelphia, Pa., at 12 noon. Interment private.

BRANDT—Dr. Henry, beloved husband of Clara L. and devoted father of Marcia and Henry, suddenly, Dec. 16. Funeral services at Martin Pick's Chapel, 227 Lenox Av., on Thursday, Dec. 18, at 1:30 P. M.

BRANDT—Officers and directors of the Amelia Relief Society express their sincerest sympathy at the loss sustained by their director, Clara Brandt, in the death of her husband, Dr. Henry Brandt. Funeral services Martin Pick's Parlor, 227 Lenox Av., Thursday, Dec. 18, at 1:30 P. M.

Mrs. S. M. BONDY, President.

BRANDT—Henry. The Misorah Benevolent Society announces with profound regret the death of their most beloved brother. Members are requested to attend funeral services at Pick's Funeral Parlors, 227 Lenox Av., Thursday afternoon, Dec. 18, at 1:30.

CHARLES GOLDSTEIN, President.
JULIUS BAUER, Secretary.

BRANDT—Henry. The Mutual Benefit and Burial Society announces with sincere regret the death of Dr. Henry Brandt. Members are requested to attend funeral services at Pick's Funeral Parlors, 227 Lenox Av., Thursday, Dec. 18, at 1:30 o'clock P. M.

G. I. LEWIS, President.
M. LIGHT, Secretary.

BRANDT—Officers and members of the Godmothers' League express their profound sorrow at the loss sustained by their Director, Clara Brandt, on the death of her husband, Dr. Henry Brandt. Funeral services at Martin Pick's Parlor, 227 Lenox Av., Thursday, Dec. 18, 1:30 P. M.

Mrs. LEOPOLD PRIBLE, President.

BRIGHT—Fannie M., beloved wife of J. Luther Bright, at Lakewood, N. J., Dec. 17, 1924. Services and interment private. Please omit flowers.

BROWN—Mass for the repose of the soul of Thomas Aloysius Brown, priest, at the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, 139 West 46th St., Friday, Dec. 19, at 10:45.

BURNETT—William H., at his residence, 355 Oakland Av., West Brighton, S. I., on Wednesday, Dec. 17. Funeral services at late residence on Saturday, Dec. 20, at 2:30 P. M. Interment Moravian Cemetery. The deceased was formerly a resident of Newark, N. J. Newark papers please copy.

CANDA—On Dec. 16, 1924, Marion Grace, beloved wife of F. Mora Canda. Services at Church of St. Vincent de Paul, 23d St. west of 9th Av., on Thursday, Dec. 18, at 11 A. M. Interment in Woodlawn Cemetery.

CLARK—On Tuesday, Dec. 16, 1924, Evelina D. Brinckerhoff, wife of James W. Clark.

DANDY—At Mount Vernon, N. Y., on Dec. 13, 1924, George Wilmer, beloved husband of Sarah O. Dandy, aged 59 years. Funeral from his late residence 31 Elwood Av., on Thursday morning at 9:30; thence to St. Paula's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment Gate of Heaven Cemetery. Train leaves Grand Central Terminal, New Haven R. R., 9:10 A. M.

DANIELS—Jules, beloved husband of Ada, on Dec. 16, 1924, at 943 Whitlock Av. Funeral private.

EPSTEIN—Sigmund J., husband of Adeline Reiser, father of Helen Wolfsohn, Edwin, Tracy and Harold. Interment Savannah, Ga. (Cincinnati papers please copy.

ERSKINE—Dec. 17, 1924, Kate Erskine, daughter of the late John and Catherine Erskine. Services at her late residence, 37 Washington Square North, Thursday afternoon, 3:30.

FLEISHMAN—Jacob, on Dec. 17, at 309 West 99th St., beloved husband of Lena (nee Braswell) and dear father of Julian, Lucille and Harold, and brother of Frances and Ray Joseph, Isaac and Carrie Ross. Funeral notice later.

GIBSON—Katherine Dwyer, on Wednesday, Dec. 17, at 1,872 Madison St., Brooklyn, beloved mother of May. Requiem mass at St. Matthias's R. C. Church, 9 o'clock Saturday, Dec. 20. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

GILL—Joseph Bennington, on Dec. 17, 1924, in his 81st year, beloved husband of Helen F. Gill and father of Bennington F. Gill, at his residence, 977 Trinity Av., Bronx. Notice of funeral later.

GREGER—Fannie (nee Lobeitz), beloved wife of Adolph M. and devoted mother of Samuel, Etta Dannenberg. Funeral from Mayers's Funeral Parlors, 228 Lenox Av., Friday, Dec. 19, at 10:30 A. M. Kindly omit flowers.

## Died.

GREGER—Imminent, No. 1, U. O. T. of S.: Sistars are requested to attend the funeral of our dear sister, Fannie Greger, Friday, Dec. 19, at 10:30 A. M., from Meyers's Funeral Parlors, 228 Lenox Av.

HATTIE TOLEDANO, President.
HENRIETTA GOLDMAN, Secretary.

GUMMERBACH—On Dec. 16, 1924, Charles J. Gummersbach, in his 67th year, beloved husband of Christiana H. and father of Charlotte H. Fielding; member of Eastern Star Lodge, No. 105, F. and A. M.; Bound Brook, N. J., Salaam Temple, Newark; Tall Cedars of Lebanon, Goulding Star Chapter, O. E. S., No. 719; Railroad Square Club, B. P. O. E., No. 123, Allentown, Pa. Funeral services at his late residence, 3,471 Davidson Av., Bronx, on Thursday, Dec. 18, at 8 P. M.

HASKIN—Suddenly, on Dec. 16, Benjamin B., beloved son of the late Benjamin F. and Eliza Bowley, Spanish-American War veteran, Company G, Seventy-first Regiment, New York National Gu

From the Founder's Writings

## *Our Best Friend Is the One Who Helps Us*

to find out our real selves and who endeavors to show us how to make proper use of our abilities.

A school or college teacher who sees no other duty in her position than cramming heads with book knowledge alone is next door to a failure.

To help make the coming man somebody must study the headpiece and the heartpiece of every individual under his care and aid him to sift his book knowledge and apply to himself the part that will develop the plans of his life.

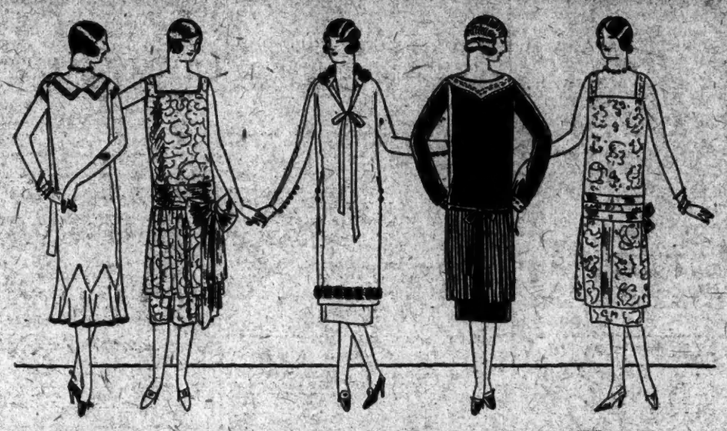
If he has no plans for his life, lose no time in helping him to find himself.

Let us be practical in keeping store in everything else we have to do.

(*Signed*) John Wanamaker

# The Christmas Store of New York—John Wanamaker

*Broadway to Fourth Ave. — 8th to 10th Streets* *Telephone Stuyvesant 4700* *Store Hours: 9 to 6* *Formerly A. T. Stewart*



## Misses' Frocks—All Smart Types

## $25 $38 $48

*Our $35 to $115 grades*

An amazing diversity of models—those that will appeal to the very modern young woman who insists upon having the most ultra note of fashion—those who still delight in girlish frocks—and those who prefer the exquisite simplicity of Paris.

Evening and daytime frocks at each price—ranging from degrade Georgette crepe dance frocks trimmed with ostrich, at $25, or a simple crepe satin or twill frock, at $25, to

**A Miscellany of Our Famous Diana Salon Frocks at $48**

Second Floor, Old Building—Tenth Street

## Gift Blankets

*At Lowered Prices Now*

### $9.85 pr. Blankets, $7.75 pr.

SINGLE OF THREE-QUARTER BED SIZE

175 pairs of all-wool blankets in block designs in rose, blue, tan, gray or pink.

### $14 and $15 Blankets, $10.75 pr.

DOUBLE BED SIZE

375 pairs of all-wool plaid blankets in block designs. Rose, blue, gray, tan, pink, yellow, lavender.

### Comforters, $15.75 each

Wool filled comforters covered with Jap silk, stitched and tufted. In rose, delft, tan, reseda. Full size, cut 72x78.

First Floor, Old Building

*The Downstairs Annual Christmas*

### Sale of Women's Gloves

**$13,725 WORTH FOR $8,975**

**3,000 Prs. French Lambskin Gloves**

*$1.25 for $1.95 grade*

Gloves made of soft, pliable skins, with Paris point stitching on the backs. Two-clasp style. In white and black.

**2,500 Prs. Chamois Suede Gloves**

*$1.25 for $1.95 grade*

Several styles to select from: 12-button duplex gloves; 16-button single-ply gloves with fancy design on arms; duplex and single-ply gauntlets; gloves with fancy embroidery on cuffs, with flare cuffs, in color combinations. Assorted colors.

Down-Stairs Store, Old Building

## London Hears "Star Spangled Banner" on Wanamaker Organ by Radio as "Big Ben" Strikes the Mid-night Hour on England's House of Parliament

In thousands of British homes last night the glorious strains of the "Star-Spangled Banner" from America mingled with the sonorous overtones of historic Big Ben as it re-echoed the midnight hour over all of London!

This triumphant occasion was the climax of the latest Wanamaker International Broadcast, which took place last night from the New York and Philadelphia stores through the low-wave relay system of KDKA, Pittsburgh, from 6 to 7 P. M. The same program was also broadcast locally through WNYC to other millions of America. Four cables were received from London announcing clear reception, ending with the following:

(*Special Cablegram*)

London, Midnight, Dec. 17.

Wanamaker's New York:

National anthem on New York Organ coincided with strokes of Big Ben striking midnight. Wanamaker, London.

All England is thrilled by the idea of dancing to American music by radio. It has taken hold like the Cross-Word Puzzle in America!

Dance music program, courtesy Victor International Novelty Orchestra. The National Anthem was played on the famous new Wanamaker concert organ, Dr. Alexander Russell, organist.

*Wanamaker First in Radio*
*Wanamaker's Always for Radio*
*Equipment That Gives Satisfaction!*

*A Gift of Distinction!*

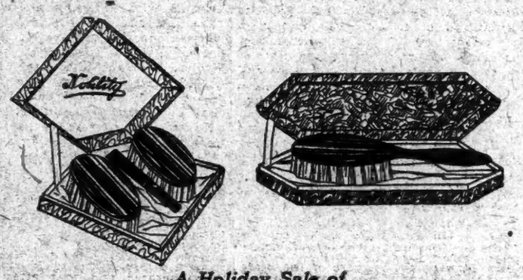
## ZENANA Cloth

*In exclusive patterns and perfectly beautiful colorings*

### $5.50 yard

Paris, you know, is using Zenana cloth these days for her newest pajama suits. And it is always a beautiful fabric for lounging robes.

Street Floor, Old Building



*A Holiday Sale of*

## Imported Military Brushes

IN SATIN-LINED GIFT BOXES

## At Half Price

The shipment was late in arriving. The importer, who had already filled the majority of his holiday orders, did not wish to carry this stock over to another season. He offered the brushes to us at marvelous savings, provided we take the entire quantity. Of course, we did.

**$2.50 and $3.50 for $5 and $7 Brushes**

Men's military brushes of natural or black ebony—with stiff bristles of a very fine quality.

**$5 for $10**

Men's three-piece sets. A pair of ebony or natural ebony military brushes with genuine bristles, and a comb.

**$3.50 for $7 Brushes**

Women's long, oval-shaped hair brushes of natural or black ebony—a very convenient size—with long, stiff Russian bristles.

Street Floor, Old Building

*The Women's Fashion Salon's Entire Collection of*

## Ensemble Costumes

*has been lowered in price for immediate disposal*

**Ensembles at $48**
*that were $69.50 to $79.50*

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**Ensembles at $68**
*that were $98 to $125*

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**Ensembles at $98**
*that were $135 to $165*

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**Ensembles at $115 to $250**
*that were $175 to $495*

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(This last group consists of 10 ensembles—each an individual model.)

Second Floor, Old Building

*For Boys 8 to 18*

## Suits of Corduroy, $12.75

*Two Pairs of Trousers*

These are the suits for school and for after school for boys who are hard on their clothes. And the harder he is on his trousers and coat the better a lad will like these scuff-proof suits. They are of the sturdiest corduroy, tailored to Wanamaker specifications, with heavily bar-tacked pockets, taped seams, full alpaca lining and buttons that are sewed on to stay—by hand.

Third Floor, Old Building

## Mendel Wardrobe Trunks Down to $49.50

*25 are the $59 grade*
*10 are the $75 grade*

They are extra large trunks of three-ply basswood construction, covered and interlined with vulcanized fibre. Completely fitted with the appointments for comfortable travel, including 12 hangers, shoe box, laundry bag, ironing board, iron holder. Four metal edged drawers in the $59 grade and five in the $75 grade, with a dust cloth. All have dustproof lift top and washable linen linings. Splendid Christmas gifts for travelers!

Seventh Gallery, New Building

**The B. M. T. Subway Entrance**

to the Down-Stairs Store, New Building,

**Has Been Re-opened**

A quick and easy means of access to the store is now at your service.

## Wanamaker Shops for Men

## 12,000 Silk Neckties, 65c

*The 85c to $1.25 grades*

Ties for Christmas at 65c! Such fine ties, too! Generously full cut from short ends of silks that go ordinarily into ties of much higher price. Rich silks in hundreds of patterns.

Dots. Stripes. Checks. Plain colors. Figured effects. In all the good color combinations. Old favorites. New patterns that will be favored as soon as seen. And not a tie in the lot that any man would not be glad to have on Christmas morning.

We have not seen ties of this quality at anywhere near this low price. Better come in early to be sure of getting your share of the prizes.

## Satin and Brocaded Mules, $3.85

HAND-MADE—SATIN-LINED

*For the $5 grade*

From a fine maker who had his people make them up during a very dull period. But he produced more than he could dispose of at his regular wholesale prices. He came to us with a very generous offer, and as the mules are so attractive and will make such delightful gifts we took every pair he had left.

Pink, red and black satin mules. Mules of silk brocades and metal brocades—stunning small patterns—in French blue, peacock blue, navy blue, purple, green and black. Sizes 3 to 7.

First Floor, Old Building

*A Special Christmas Offering of*

## 1,200 Anatolian Mats, $5.75

**The $7.50 to $12.50 grades**
**AVERAGE SIZE 1.10 FT. X 2.10 FT.**

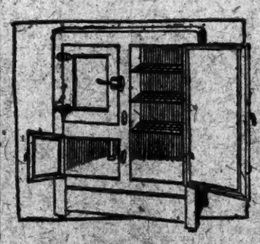
Just in time for Christmas gifts. And what could be better than one or two of these fine Oriental mats, that instantly suggest many different uses? In red, blue, old ivory, old rose and in patterns that are charming. And then—the rugs offer such a truly remarkable saving—and answer your gift problem at once.

Second Gallery, New Building

*Buy Them Now*

**Christmas Seals Save Human Lives**

## Sale of 300 Refrigerators



31 x 18 x 44 inches. Takes 60 lbs. of ice. *The $40 Grade* — **$24**

33 x 19 x 46 inches. Takes 80 lbs. of ice. *The $44 Grade* — **$27**

35 x 20 x 47 inches. Takes 110 lbs. of ice. *The $50 Grade* — **$30**

They are all of the same general construction, with dry air circulation, white enamel porcelold provision chambers, galvanized steel ice chambers, nickel plated brass hardware. They are sanitary, rustproof and economical—and of high grade construction throughout. All are in the popular golden oak finish. There have been no better values this year—only a business emergency brings the price so low.

Seventh Gallery, New Building

## Christmas Silks

**$3.85 to $5.50 grade** — **$2.65 yard**

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| FLAT CREPE | CREPE BACK SATIN | CANTON CREPE |
| CREPE FAILLE | SATIN CHARMEUSE | SATIN CANTON CREPE |
| BROCADED CREPE | CREPE DE CHINE | SATIN-FINISHED RADIUM |

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### 10,000 Yds. Silk Remnants, $2.85 to $5.50

*Which are Third to Half Less*

Silks, brocades and velvets from our own collection in lengths suitable for blouses, frocks and gowns, evening wraps, negligees and lingerie, and for decorative purposes.

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### Black Chiffon Velvet, $3.50 yd.

*For $4.50 grade*

An unusually fine quality at this low price. And velvet, you know, is being used at all hours of the day for the season's smartest costumes. 39 in. wide.

Street Floor, Old Building

## French SILK STOCKINGS

### $5 and $7.50

*For the $9 and $12.50 Grades*

THE IDEAL GIFT FOR THE SMART WOMAN

500 pairs, which we ourselves imported direct from a famous Parisian bonnetier. Sheer silk, exquisite in texture, with beautiful openwork side clocks. The colors are perfectly fascinating—the very shades that one sees worn by the smartest women at dinner at the fashionable restaurants, at the theatre and at after theatre supper clubs.

Street Floor, Old Building

AND IN THE BROADWAY STORE

## 500 Heavy Overcoats, $19.50

*The $27.50 to $33.50 grades*

A leading manufacturer of good overcoats came to us the other day. "I bought woolens from one of the finest mills in the country and made up a big stock of overcoats. Now I find myself with just 500 of them—and I want to clear decks. Will you take them?"

We went over the coats. Saw the fine fabrics, heavy and warm. Saw that the coats were very well made. Realized that here was another plum for the men of New York. And bought the 500 overcoats on the spot.

They're ready for you now, these great heavy coats, made to ward off the chilliest breeze of Winter. Box coats. Ulsters. Trim coats for town wear. Heavy, burly coats for town or country. In all-wool fabrics. In smart patterns. In all sizes.

One of the best prizes we've had for men—but only 500 in the lot. Give yourself a Christmas present—and save a round sum in doing it.

SPECIALIZED SERVICE—STREET FLOOR—NEW BUILDING

# SEEK $99,000 MORE FOR NEEDIEST CASES

## Special Appeal Is Made for Small Gifts So That All May Share in This Relief Work.

## FAMILIES FEAR SEPARATION

## Opportunity Is Given to the Generous to Make Many Homes Happy This Christmas.

## JOY IS FOUND IN GIVING

### Contributors Send Messages of Cheer to the Unfortunate—Yesterday's Total $9,622.

The Neediest Cases received contributions of $9,622.66 yesterday, making a total of $101,224.32. This is $76,000 less than the total fund last year, and $99,000 below the total of $200,000 which is needed this year to show the average increase and to provide for 300 cases or more.

A check for $500 came yesterday from one of the noted men of the country who has taken a great interest in the neediest cases, but who preferred to remain anonymous. Another $500 gift was from John B. Trevor, son of the late John B. Trevor, Albert C. Field gave $200.

Among organizations sending contributions were Integrity Lodge, F. and A. M., Temple Emanu-El Unit of the Red Cross, and the Young People's Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational Church. A check for $10 was received with the following letter:

Manhattan Waiters' Association,
New York, Dec. 16.

The New York Times:

Enclosed find check for $10 donated by the Board of Directors of the Manhattan Waiters' Association. Fraternally yours, E. A. ABBOTT.

The Men's Social Club of the Grosser Knitting Machine Company, 250 West Broadway, sent a check for $25 with a letter saying: "There is no limit for well-deserved charity. May this small contribution help to build up this Wonderful Christmas spirit."

Another organization contribution came with the following letter:

"Enclosed please find check for $20 which the members of the Home and Abroad Club of Irvington-on-Hudson wish to donate to Case 52. We hope it will be a help to the mother and her three little girls. We greatly appreciate this splendid work."

#### Poor Helps the Poor.

The following was received yesterday:

New York, Dec. 15, 1924.

Hundred Neediest Cases Fund:

I send $2. I have nothing but this money that could save from weekly salary of $25 will be smallest among the others but best-intentioned. I have heartbroken for not to any more to the cause because I am as poor as they are. Yours truly,

A. PEREZ,
349 West Forty-fourth Street.

Hotel Astor pantryman, this is my job.

Yesterday was the tenth day since the appeal was made this year. The amount received fell short by $4,409.20 of the amount received on the same day last year. The total of $101,224.32 to date this year exceeds by $2,000 the total for the first ten days of last year. Yesterday's falling-off was the first heavy slump in the present campaign.

The scarcity of $5 and small contributions, as compared to last year, continued yesterday. A special appeal is made for small gifts. Scores of families can be helped by gifts ranging from $1 to $5. If the thousands who could give a little would give it, the prospects for providing for 300 or more families this year would be brightened. No one should refrain from making a contribution because it cannot be a large one.

The smallest contributions will help to save lives by giving medical attention, rest and freedom from worry to sick and unfortunate mothers and fathers. They will help to make it possible to give the prolonged care necessary to straighten out the back or limbs of twisted children. They will save homes for little ones who are on the verge of being taken to orphan asylums—on the verge of being taken away from mothers who mean everything to them. They will aid in giving a few pleasant days to the aged, penniless and helpless.

Contributions, small and large, will do their full part in sending Santa Claus on Christmas into sad and stricken homes with gifts of food, clothing, shelter, fuel and other fundamental necessaries.

These do not sound like the most inviting and attractive things that Santa Claus has in his pack on Christmas Day, but they will make the whole world over for these needy families. They will mean well-provided and pleasant homes, instead of cold, hunger, sickness and constant dread of death and separation.

#### Thank Offering From Canada.

One contribution came yesterday from Gananoque, Ontario, Canada, with a letter saying: "I am enclosing check for $10 for the Neediest Cases. It is a thank offering. Please record it as such. I only wish it were $10,000, but all the same it goes with a heart full of sympathy and Christmas cheer."

The following are from other letters:

D. I. K.—I enclose check for $5, in memory of O. D. K., to whose heart this fine charity was very near. His greatest Christmas joy during his long illness was in each year seeing the Neediest Cases Fund go over the top.

Anna Hall Travers—This fund surely must go "over the top." It is so outstanding in its appeal for help and that help administered in such a splendid way.

Mrs. G. M. Slingerland, Johnson City, N. Y.—Enclosed please find $1. It is not much, but every little bit helps, and if every one of the readers of THE TIMES gave $1 it would make quite a fund.

Buddy Steinmeyer, Westerleigh, S. I.—I am sending you $5 for the Hundred Neediest Cases. Please use it for a little boy or girl. I am 8 years old. When I am big and rich I shall give you a lot of money.

Anonymous—For Sheila, Case 66. In tender memory of another little nine-year-old girl who, too, before she went home, spent weary months in plaster.

Marjorie Stein—It makes me very happy to send my $2 to help make some little friend have a joyful Christmas. I am only 9 years old, but when I am older I will send more.

L. C.—I enclose you herewith the contribution of my six-year-old daughter, Cynthia Charlton, for the Hundred Neediest Cases, in which she is intensely and intelligently interested. With her best wishes and mine that the fund this season will be even greater than the splendid showing of a year ago.

A Mother—Kindly use enclosed check for some poor, deserted child. I wish I could do something for all of them, but as it is I have to give mine a little less.

H. G. Northrop—I want to add my bit to the wonderful work you are all doing. I wish I could do more, but I am sending this little Christmas gift knowing it will help a little some poor soul.

Paul E. Manheim, University of Virginia—With even the proverbial tradition to uphold that a college student is always broke, it is indeed a pleasure to add what I can.

Mrs. L. de Friese, Rockville Centre—Enclosed find check for $5. Give it to any one of the Neediest Cases. They all cry for help and all need it badly, so I cannot choose. And may God's blessing go with it.

A. C.—Enclosed please find a small contributio for Case 23, Two Aged Sisters. I feel heartsore for all and wish it were in my power to give in each case. The two sisters appeal to me because they are so old, sick and poor. How sad in their declining years to be in such straits and poverty where once they had riches. Though I have a sorrow of my own this Christmas, it will seem mitigated a little to know that I am helping others a trifle. I am sending this in loving memory of our darling Maidie.

L. L. H.—I most heartily wish this was more. My own dear mother has practically ruined her health striving to bring up her two children, Artnur and Grace. She succeeded but paid by serious heart trouble. My own dear sister Grace is dead now, so this mite is in her name.

Ethel Capstick—I enclose my check for $5 for Case 83. I wish I might be able to help all the poor at Christmas. Our joys are greater in doing as much as we possibly can for those who are suffering.

Mary L. Elmer, Poughkeepsie—Our little seven-year-old boy wants to give these earned pennies of a year to some little boy of the Hundred Neediest to give him a Christmas of the kind he is hoping for now. Follow this wonderful work with much sympathy and interest.

Evelyn C. Hume, Adamstown, Md.—Enclosed find check for $6, which I would like you to kindly apply to Case 7 (the little girl 10 years old who has a weak heart).

#### Glad to Help These in Need.

Peggy, Orange, N. J.—I hope what I have sent may help a little, and I am sorry I cannot give to all the cases. Thank you very much. It is part of my Christmas money, but mother made out the check.

Barbara Hale—Please give my $5 (my age) to the little girl in the hospital, Case 66, and hope she finds a home.

Edwin H. Steiner—Enclosed find check for $5, which I hope you will give to the case that needs it most. To me one is as good as another. Fortunately my birthday comes every year at this time, and so I try to make a practice of giving a little every Christmas time. Hope that you attain a greater total than you have ever gotten in previous years.

E. C. N., Douglaston Park, N. Y.—Enclosed find three checks, amounting to $15, for your most worthy cause. It is a pleasure to leave the distribution in your hands. Knowing that all of the cases that you are handling are deserving, though some are more heartrending than others. When children assume the responsibility of support it is indeed time to help, but poverty and illness in old age is a strong appeal.

Mrs. S. H. R.—I am enclosing my check for $5, in memory of Charlie and Wilbur, for the Hundred Neediest Cases. This is a great and noble work.

Peggy Strasser—In reading over these tragic cases I had a hard time choosing which one to take. But at last I decided on Fannie, Case 7. If Fannie is already provided for, please use my money for any other case you may select. I am particularly interested in Fannie because she is about my age and she seemed so sweet and patient with all her trouble.

L. M. A., Pittsburgh—Enclosed herewith is check for $10 out of the savings of Betty Dorothy Alpern, 3 years old, for little Dickie, Case 85, of the same age. May this help gladden his Christmas.

L. de B. Lovett—Please accept my thanks for presenting this matter so that I am enabled to enjoy the privilege of giving to such an effective cause.

S. K.—Kindly accept this dollar for the dear little girl in Case 7. May God help and bless her. This is in memory of my own little girl.

Maxine E. Cohen—I am a little girl 7 years old. My uncle gave me a dollar to spend and I thought I would like to give it to some poor little girl to buy a doll.

Zareh Schibookdjian—Enclosed please find check of $2 to be applied to your fund for the Neediest.

Curtis M. Green—My brother, Wallace, is 4 year old and I am 5. So I am sending a dollar for each year out of our savings for some sick children. Enclosed find $6.

E. A. Hillabrand—I am enclosing only a small amount, but my heart responds to this noble work. It will bring Christmas cheer to many.

Elizabeth F. Condit, East Orange—I am enclosing a very small check for a very big cause. I hope Christmas Day will find them all happier.

A Helper—Enclosed please find $1 for the two old sisters, one of whom is blind, the other working in an endeavor to attain their independence. It will help a tiny little bit.

N. A. Campbell, Pittsfield, Mass.—Please accept enclosed check for Cases 15, 77, 80 and 81, $5 for each case. I wish that it were more. This work is wonderful and deserving of every support.

Mrs. F. S.—Enclosed find check for $5 for the 100 Neediest Cases fund. It is Xmas money given by Barbara and Sidney Schloss Jr. and they have decided to give it to Case 32, as they think it the most worthy.

C. G. M.—The "Big City" has been good to me. Here's my mite to show in a meager way my appreciation. Apply it to any case that is fatherless, for I know what that means.

#### Wish They Could Give More.

F. V. M.—I enclose check for $25 toward the Neediest Cases. If any of your cases are of Danish extraction please let my small contribution go toward such cases, in memory of the old country.

Mrs. G. J. G.—Enclosed please find check for $10. Wish I could make it 100 times more. This annual drive for the needy is one of the most worthy to our city's unfortunates and certainly deserves the cooperation of every citizen.

In Case 2 the sick father is not improving. Now he has to walk with crutches, but he still goes nearly every day to the Old Men's Toy Shop, so that each week he may earn a few dollars for his wife and children. These children of this family are at home with their parents, but two little boys, Fred, 8, and Eddie, 6, were put into an institution when their father became too ill to support his family. Now the father says that Fred and Eddie are so afraid that Santa Claus will forget where their stockings are that they are begging him to tell Santa Claus that he has two little boys away from home in an institution, but they remember that Dec. 25 is Christmas day at home.

In Case 36, a widow with seven children, the boys and girls are needing Winter clothes, but the full amount has not yet come for this case and the coats have not been purchased. It is so important to pay rent and have food for the big family that the coats must wait until a larger amount is received. The amount asked is $1,200; received so far, $800.

The "Three Who Are Crippled" (Case 92) have been told that money is being received for them and that they can surely be helped during the next few months. Elizabeth said with tears in her eyes, "You don't know how different this Christmas is going to be from last year. Now I feel that I can work with a better heart because there will be some one to help me. I did feel so discouraged, though, that we would all have to go to institutions."

A cheering message was received at the office of the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor. A lawyer telephoned that he had read Case 19, the story of an aged woman and her sick daughter, widow and daughter of a lawyer of this city in good standing. The friend asked how much of the needed $300 had been raised. When he was told that just $117 had come so far he said, "Well, I think that some lawyer ought to take care of this particular family and I will send you a check in the small for the balance needed to make up the $300." This generous help will take care of the overburdened daughter and her mother during the next year.

### CASE 76.

The following are cases which have received few direct contributions:

#### Until Jean Grows Up

Jean longs for the time when she will be old enough to go to work to earn bread for her little brother and sister. Their mother died in the influenza epidemic five years ago. Their father died two years ago. The three children have no one to care for them but grandfather and grandmother, who are too old and feeble to make even their own living. All day the grandparents do their best as janitor and janitress in the tenement house where they live, but their best is not enough for five. Jean knows that she and Harold and little sister must be "put away" in an institution unless the grandparents have help. "If we can only manage until I'm big enough," she says, "then I can take care of them all." With a little aid the grandparents can keep their dead son's children with them.

Amount needed, $360.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7840.)

### CASE 43.

#### Four Facing Starvation.

The H. children, trembling and whimpering, looked at their mother with frightened eyes. The mother was outwardly calm, but their mind and knew that she was afraid. The funeral was over. Their father had lost a long fight for life, during which their savings had been used up. There was nothing left in the house to eat. The mother borrowed a little and then found work as janitress. But she cannot support herself and her four children—Alex, 14; Stanley, 12; Julie, 9, and Helen, 6. These are all good and remarkably well-trained children. They should be kept with their mother. Soon the oldest boy will be of legal working age. Help must be had in the meantime.

Amount needed, $720.

Case reported by the Charity Organization Society, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 4066.)

### CASE 56

#### Two Little Toilers.

Ann, 17, was already at a bench, making artificial flowers, when her father died. She got Frank, 14, a place in the same factory. But they cannot earn enough for their large household. Their mother is threatened with grave illness and must have a special diet. Then there are Vic, Peter, Abraham and Baby Teddy, ranging from 12 years to 12 months. Some one must befriend them in their days of trial.

Amount needed, $800.

Case reported by the Charity Organization Society, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 4066.)

### CASE 73.

#### Mother Can Only Pray.

In a clean, comfortably furnished apartment, a dark-eyed young wife was singing her ten-months-old baby daughter to sleep. Josephine, 3 years old, sat at her feet rocking her dolly. The boys of 8 and 10 were at school. The mother was happy. Evening came and with it came the stalwart husband. It was his last return. He never left home again. Pneumonia took him at the first crisis. Few weeks later a third little daughter was born. Friends helped them temporarily with the needs of the family, but neighbors also have their own cares. The little mother can only pray that help may come for those she loves.

Amount needed, $960.

Case reported by the Catholic Charities, 417 Madison Avenue. (Telephone Plaza 9543.)

### CASE 84.

#### Seven in Darkness.

They live in three dark and almost bare rooms, a mother and four children —and a fifth coming soon. The father, a hard-working and honest man, lies in a hospital waiting for strength to undergo a severe operation. Money is wanted for rent, food, fuel and medicine. At the very earliest it will be a year before the father can support them again.

Amount needed, $500.

Case reported by the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, 69 Schermerhorn Street. (Telephone Main 5200.)

### CASE 5.

#### A Brave Stepmother.

Four spirited children were almost in rebellion four years ago when their father brought home a second wife to take the place of their dead mother. For weeks they were unfriendly. Gradually her care and devotion won them over and they began to love her. Four years ago they were as united as a family can be. Then the father fell ill and died of pneumonia. There never was a thought of separation, but it was a problem to find an income for six, counting the new little half-sister Hilda. Max, 18, went to work as an office boy. Sadie, 15, spends part of the day getting a schooling and part of the day packing films. Dora, 14, a fine pupil in the eighth grade, will soon be able to help, and in time ten-year-old Sam will be added to the wage-earners, so their future is promising. But for a year or two there must be aid to provide them with the necessaries of life.

Amount needed, $700.

Case reported by the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies, 114 Fifth Avenue. (Telephone Watkins 1050.)

## Problem Facing This Widow To Be Solved by Needy Fund

CASE 82—A Blind Mother of Eight. At 35, Helene is old and almost blind. She has eight children. Her husband, working overtime to support them all, died of pneumonia soon after the eighth was born. When the mother could walk she left the older children to look after the younger and went out to do housework. Soon she had sold most of her furniture, yet she struggled on without appealing for charity until suddenly her sight failed. Meanwhile her two oldest children—James, 15, and George, 12—had fallen into bad ways, having no father to guide them and a mother too busy to watch over them. They have been sent to an industrial school and are doing well. But the worn-out and half-blind mother still has the problem of caring for six children, ranging from one-year-old Ada to Zoe, who is 11.

Amount needed, $1,200.

Case reported by the Charity Organization Society, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 4066.)

# 64 Memorial Gifts Received for the Neediest Fund; More Small Contributions Sought to Aid the Cause

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|---|---|
| Received yesterday | $9,622.66 |
| Previously acknowledged | 91,601.66 |
| Total | $101,224.32 |

**Contributions received by The New York Times:**

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| A. B. | $5 | Delehanty, M. J. | 25 | Lehman, A. W., & Sons | 5 |
| A. B. and I. L. D. | 5 | Depew, ElizabethP. | 10 | Lelia, Ann, Sandy and David | 20 |
| Abbé, Harriet C. | 10 | De Raasloff, Mrs. H. | 15 | Leland, Ruth | 10 |
| Abbott, Helen D. | 2 | Derby, Mrs. M. L. | 10 | Levy, Arthur E. | 5 |
| A. C. | 2 | D. F. L. | 10 | Levy Trio | 5 |
| Adelman, A. F. | 10 | Dodsworth, Miss A. | | Lewis, Edith Gail | 10 |
| A. F. and C. F. | 4 | A. | 100 | Livingston, Adrienne E. | 10 |
| Agar, Dorothea | 10 | Doyle, J. P. | 5 | Locke, Lena J. | 5 |
| Aguais, Mrs. H. R. | 5 | Easton, Burton S. | 15 | Lovett, Louis De B. | 10 |
| A. J. D. | 2 | Easton, Mrs. R. F. | 10 | L. T. M. | 10 |
| A Helper | 1 | E. H. T. | 5 | Lyons, Mrs. Alex | 5 |
| Alan and Kathleen | 10 | E. C. L. | 10 | MacPherson, G. | 5 |
| A Musician's Widow | 10 | E. G. N. | 10 | Madeline, Elizabeth and Edwin | 100 |
| Alexander, Elise M. | 6 | Edmondson, Minnie | 2 | Mai, A. H. | 2 |
| Alexander, Henry | 3 | Egan, William | 15 | Malnati, Estelle | 10 |
| Alexander, Jean | 5 | Elliott, James | 5 | Manhattan Waiters' Assn. Asst. Bd. of Dir. | 10 |
| Alpern, Selma D. | 10 | Elms, Peggy | 1 | Manheim, Paul E. | 5 |
| A Mother | 5 | E. M. B. | 1 | Mars, Helen H. | 5 |
| Anderson, Alida V. | 25 | Emerson, Marion B. | 10 | McKinny, Ellen J. | 5 |
| Anonymous | 4 | Employes of L. C. Toussaint | 6 | Measure, Alice M. | 10 |
| Anonymous | 5 | Ernie | 1 | M. E. L. | 7 |
| Anonymous | 3.50 | Estricher, Mattie V. | 10 | M. E. M. | 10 |
| Anonymous | 10 | Ettinger, I. B. | 10 | Mensel, W. J. | 5 |
| Anonymous | 5 | Faston, Kenneth C. | 5 | Merian, A. W. | 20 |
| Anonymous | 5 | Fichter, H. | 1 | M. E. S. | 1.21 |
| Anonymous | 5 | Fiddler | 5 | Menble, J. F. | 2 |
| Anonymous | 1 | Field, Albert C. | 200 | Milburn, A. W. | 100 |
| Anonymous | 1 | Fieldsend, Sarah M. | 3 | Miller, J. | 10 |
| Anonymous | 10 | Figueros, R. M. | 3 | M. K. S. | 2 |
| Anonymous | 5 | Finck, A. | 10 | Moody, Mrs. LeRoy | 10 |
| Anonymous | 5 | Fisher, Edith | 5 | Mooney, Alice J. | 10 |
| Anonymous | 2 | Fisher, Florence | 2 | Moore, Edwin H. | 20 |
| Anonymous | 15 | Fisher, Nat | 15 | Morgan, I. S. | 50 |
| Anonymous | 3 | Fitshugh, Mary H. | 3 | Morris, Elisabeth & David | 10 |
| Anonymous | 5 | Flint, Gladys | 5 | Morris, John D. | 15 |
| Anonymous | 10 | Floyd, Augustus | 20 | Morris, Mrs. M. | 2 |
| Anonymous | 10 | Forum, Paul N. | 25 | Moses, Ray | 2 |
| Anonymous | 5 | Foster, Claiborne | 5 | Moss, Beatrice | 50 |
| Anonymous | 10 | Foster, Jessie E. | 5 | Moss, Charles | 50 |
| Anonymous | 20 | Foster, Walter | 10 | Moss, Estelle | 50 |
| Anonymous | 25 | F. R. | 1 | Mrs. B. O. | 10 |
| Anonymous | 20 | Frances, Gasser | 25 | Mrs. C. M. | 1 |
| Anonymous | 100 | Frances, M. | 5 | Mrs. G. S. J. | 10 |
| Anonymous | 25 | Frank, J. | 10 | Mrs. S. G. W. | 1 |
| Anonymous | 500 | French, Barbara | 6 | M. S. B. | 10 |
| Anonymous | 10 | Friend | 10 | Myrtle & Sydell B. | 50 |
| Anonymous | 1.15 | Friend | 2 | Nagle, A. C., Jr. | 10 |
| Anonymous | 10 | Friend | 1 | Nissle, Walter L. | 5 |
| Anonymous | 10 | Friend | 10 | Northrop, H. G. | 5 |
| Anthony | 10 | Friend | 10 | Norton, Anna | 2 |
| Appleton, T. W. | 5 | Friend | 3.50 | Oller, Jenny | 2 |
| Ascher, Henry | 10 | Friend | 10 | Ollendorf, Miss C. | 25 |
| Austin, F. D. | 10 | Friend | 25 | O'Neil, Frank J. | 5 |
| A Widow's Mite | 1 | Friend | 100 | O'Neil, J. M. | 10 |
| Bacon, Mrs. C. E. | 50 | Friend of Children | 10 | Otten, Helen M. | 3 |
| Baldwin, Samuel A. | 5 | From Five Bridge Ladies | 5 | Paarz, A. | 5 |
| Ballin, Matthew | 10 | Frost, Marion | 5 | Palmer, Mrs. Nelson G. | 100 |
| Banker, C. E. | 10 | Frued, Babies Annette and Edith. | 5 | Pearson, Mr. & Mrs. D. J. | 5 |
| Basch, A. | 5 | G. E. P. | 5 | Peck, Grace E. | 5 |
| Bates, Harry C. | 10 | Gibbs, C. E. | 10 | Perez, Alicia | 2 |
| Battie, Mrs. G. G. | 10 | Gibbs, Walter S. | 5 | Perseles, Mrs. S. | 2 |
| Bayles, Eleanor | 5 | Goldstein, Katherine F. | 10 | Peters, R. E. | 5 |
| Beele, Marg't W. | 50 | Goodnay, J. | 1 | Pickering, F. L. | 10 |
| Berg, Gertrude E. | 5 | Gould, Peggy | 15 | Piper, Jennie B. | 25 |
| Berman, Shirley and Ina | 10 | Grace | 2 | Post, Frank | 100 |
| Bernstein, Lucille | 10 | Grant, Dorothy F. | 5 | Quincy, Etta M. I. | 10 |
| Bernstein, Roy | 5 | Gray, V. C. | 25 | Radford, Mrs. G. S. | 10 |
| Bishofheimer, Helen | 10 | Green, M. M. | 5 | Reckenagel, G. L. | 10 |
| Blair, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. | 100 | Green, Curtis M. | 6 | Renna, M. G. E. | 10 |
| Blair, Mrs. James | 10 | Greene, C. H. | 10 | Richards, E. G. | 50 |
| Bloch, Miriam | 5 | Greenwald, B. | 12 | Richards, Margaret | 13 |
| Block, David | 100 | Gross, Madeline & Betty | 12.50 | Ridler, Mrs. G. | 25 |
| Block, I. | 50 | Grossman, J. | 25 | R. M. V. | 5 |
| Bos, W. J. | 10 | Hale, Barbara | 5 | Robertson, Charlotte J. | 5 |
| Brand, Esther | 4 | Hale, Alice | 5 | Rothchild, B. | 150 |
| Brainin, Janet and Elisabeth | 10 | Hall, Alice | 5 | R. F. | 50 |
| Braselton, Mrs. C. H. | 25 | Hall, Démon | 25 | Rutgers, Mr. & Mrs. N. G. Jr. | 100 |
| Braum, A. | 5 | Hall, H. E. | 5 | Rutherford, May | 10 |
| Breed, Philip M. | 5 | Hallsey, E. D. | 5 | Samler, Louis | 25 |
| Brixey, Mr. and Mrs. R. de N. | 50 | Hanson, Claire | 2 | Sauvage, Audrey | 3 |
| Brock, Felix E. | 10 | Hart, Helen Y. | 5 | Sauvage, Blaire | 2 |
| Brown, Helen B. | 5 | Hathaway, A. G. | 30 | Sauvage, Gwendolyn | 1 |
| Burrell, Leonora D. | 5 | Hauser, Emil | 100 | Sauvage, Mrs. E. | 25 |
| Cahn, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. | 100 | Hayman, Mary P. | 25 | Sauvage, Vivian | 5 |
| Campbell, A. M. | 5 | H. D. L. | 10 | S. C. | 10 |
| Campbell, J. G. | 100 | H. D. M. | 5 | Schaefer, E. | 10 |
| Campbell, N. S. | 20 | Hellman, Rosyin and Jane Ann | 10 | Scherman, K. H. S. | 10 |
| Capstick, Mrs. J. | 2 | Herit, Anna M. | 10 | Schloss, Barbara and Sidney, Jr. | 5 |
| Carr, Mrs. A. | 10 | Herman, Minnie | 5 | Schobookdjian, Zareh | 2 |
| Carr, Mrs. M. L. | 10 | Herta, A. | 10 | Schopp, Mrs. C. | 5 |
| Cash | 1 | Higgins, Miss | 1 | Schutz, Ida | 10 |
| Cash | 5 | Hill, Oliver B. | 25 | Seligman, Flor. C. | 5 |
| Cash | 5 | Hillabrand, E. A. | 5 | Sewell, Chas. G. | 10 |
| Cash | 5 | Hirsch, L. | 5 | Shirins, Norma A. | 5 |
| Cash | 1 | Hirschman, Mrs. S. | 20 | Shubruk, Richard | 2 |
| C. C. O. | 2 | H. M. H. | 10 | Silverstein, Ray | 5 |
| C. G. M. | 10 | Hogeman, Mr. and Mrs. George H. | 20 | Singleton, Kath. | 5 |
| Charlton, Cynthia | 10 | Hogus, H. | 5 | Sinton, Mrs. C. | 10 |
| Chittenton, Mrs. G. H. | 5 | Hollister, Buell Jr. | 1 | Sippell, N. E. | 5 |
| Clark, Mrs. E. V. | 15 | Hollister, L. I. | 1 | Skinner, Dr. C. E. | 1 |
| Clay, Barbara and Jack | 10 | Holmes, F. G. | 10 | Slingerland, Mrs. G. M. | 1 |
| Clement, Frank and A. T., Jr. | 75 | Holly, H. L. and Friends | 16 | Smith, D. H. | 10 |
| Clemons, Bessie F. | 10 | Hooper, Mrs. G. S. | 5 | Smith, Mrs. A. D. | 50 |
| Clover Leaf Farms | 15 | Hoover, W. B. | 10 | Smith, Mrs. F. R. | 50 |
| C. M. P. | 25 | Howe, N. L. | 25 | Spencer, E. T. | 10 |
| Coddington, M. F. | 50 | Hume, Evelyn C. | 6 | Stein, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel | 5 |
| Cohen, Eskine E. | 10 | Hunter, Frances | 10 | Stein, Marjorie | 2 |
| Cohn, P. T. | 5 | H. W. | 10 | Steiner, Edwin L. | 10 |
| Cohn, Samuel D. | 5 | I. D. T. | 2 | Steiner, Joseph 2d. | 10 |
| Coleman, Mrs. J. | 25 | Imer, Mrs. Oscar | 2 | Steinmeyer, Buddy | 5 |
| Collins, Charles A. | 20 | Ingram, John | 20 | Strang, Arthur | 15 |
| Compton, E. N. | 50 | In loving Memory of My Dear Ones | 10 | Strasser, Peggy | 10 |
| Condiet, Mrs. H. N. | 3 | In Memoriam | 50 | Strauss, Helene | 3 |
| Conhaim, Alice, Robert and Jean | 5 | In Memoriam | 2 | Strauss, S. W. | 10 |
| Cook, Jane and Harriet | 2 | In Memoriam | 100 | T. C. | 10 |
| Cornwall, Mrs. H. B. | 5 | In Loving Memory of Our Darling Maidie | 1 | Temple Sinai, Mr. & Mrs. | 1 |
| Crain, C. T. | 10 | In Memory of— A Boy | 20 | Unit of the Red Cross | 5 |
| Cronk, C. P. | 2 | In Memory of— A. E. T. | 5 | Vose, Joseph M. | 10 |
| Curtright, Louise N. | 2.50 | In Memory of— Bob H. A. S. | 5 | Wagner, Ernest | 15 |
| Danny and Junior | 1 | In Memory of— C. A. G. | 10 | Waldman, H. | 25 |
| Davidow, Peggy | 25 | In Memory of— Charlie and Wilbur | 5 | Watson, Mrs. G. M. | 5 |
| Davies, Winifred | 5 | | | W. G. W. | 5 |
| D. C. | 10 | | | White, Edith R. | 5 |
| Deaconess | 3 | | | Williams, John D. | 25 |
| De Coppet, Mr. & Mrs. E. Howell | 100 | | | Willis, Ella B. | 10 |
| De Friese, Mrs. | 5 | | | Winchester, M. T. | 5 |
| | | | | Wilmer, N. S. | 10 |
| | | | | Wolff, Blanche M. | 5 |
| | | | | Wylie, Mrs. D. W. | 10 |
| | | | | Young, Miss L. | 10 |
| | | | | Young Peop. Christian Endeavor Soc., Cong. Ch. | 5 |
| | | | | Zelmer, Mrs. R. L. | 10 |

**The Home and Abroad Club** ..... 20

**The Men's Social Club of the Grosser Knitting Machine Co.** ..... 25

**Tilton, Mrs. H.** ..... 5

**Tobias, Gertrude** ..... 10

**Toussaint, L. C.** ..... 10

**Towe, J.** ..... 5

**Travers Anne H.** ..... 15

**Trotter, Corine and Catherine** ..... 85

**Tufel, H. A.** ..... 5

**Tusting, Philip F.** ..... 5

**Upright, Blanche** ..... 5

**Urinck, C. J.** ..... 3

**Van Boskerck, L.** ..... 10

**Virgil, Theodora** ..... 3

**Total** ..... $7,129.16

### Contributions received through the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| A Friend | $5 | Jackson, C. H. | $10 |
| A Thank Offering | 10 | J. C. D. | 5 |
| Burrill, M. S. | 100 | J. G. | 5 |
| Closser, Myla Jo | 10 | Keyser, J. W. H. | 10 |
| Condit, Miss C. S. | 100 | Leete, Mrs. E. D. | 5 |
| Genkling, Rev. Dr. Nathaniel W. | 10 | Longley, Mrs. A. L. | 5 |
| Curtiss, A. | 5 | M. B. A. | 5 |
| E. A. R. | 10 | Mitchell, Mrs. M. H. | 5 |
| E. B. M. | 5 | Mott, Lewis F. | 20 |
| E. M. S. | 5 | Punnett, James | 100 |
| Friedman, Milton | 10 | Redfern, C. H. | 5 |
| Friedman, Milton | 10 | Stavett, W. A. | 100 |
| Hardenbergh, Adelaide C. | 50 | Suarez, Mrs. A. | 2 |
| In Memory of— Little Virginia Covill | 5 | Trevor, John B. | 500 |
| In Memory of— My Daughter Lucille S. Abbott | 5 | Van Vliet, Florence E. | 5 |
| | | Watson, Mrs. C.R. | 5 |

**Total** ..... $1,110

### Contributions received through the Charity Organization Society:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Agnew, John R. | $10 | In loving memory of my father and mother | $10 |
| Agnew, Eleonore E. | 10 | In the name of my granddaughter, Anonymous | 5 |
| A. L. S. | 5 | Langan, Helen A. | $5 |
| Anonymous | 5 | Morgan, Kath. M. | 5 |
| Anonymous | 10 | O'Connor, Mrs. B. | 5 |
| Anonymous | 5 | Scully, Miss H. M. | 5 |
| Beattie, Emma G. | 5 | Steinbugler, J. L. | 10 |
| Castello, Elizabeth E. | 10 | Travers, Frank | 25 |
| Cassano, Joseph | 6 | | |
| C. H. | 100 | | |
| Clarke, Miss E.M. | 150 | | |
| Goldstein, Miss B. L. | 2 | | |
| In tender memory of another little | | | |

**Total** ..... $178

### Contributions received through the State Charities Aid Association:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Anonymous | $ 2 | 9-year-old girl | 5 |
| Anonymous | 3 | In memory of | |
| Beal, P. F. Jr. | 5 | Falk, Bertin | 5 |
| Bichnell, Emmeline I. | 5 | In memory of my own daughter | |
| Cassano, Joseph | 6 | MacCully, Mrs. | 5 |
| C. H. | 100 | G. | 5 |
| Clarke, Miss E.M. | 150 | Mooney, Rose | 5 |
| Goldstein, Miss B. L. | 2 | Rodman, Mrs. C.S. | 25 |
| In tender memory of another little | | Schoninger, Mrs. A. C. | 21 |
| | | Sieber, Laura M. | 1 |

**Total** ..... $347.00

### Contributions received through the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Anonymous | $10 | In Memory of | |
| Anonymous | 1 | Bertin, Falk | 5 |
| Anonymous | 1 | Kaye, Mildred J. | 1 |
| B. K. H. S. | 10 | L. M. S. | 20 |
| Cohen, Mrs. Philip | 10 | Levine, Mrs. Abe | 5 |
| Falk, A. | 10 | Levy, Julia | 15 |
| Friedman, Milton | 5 | Louis, Mrs. Abe | 5 |
| Hale, Mrs. A. B. | 5 | Walker, Mrs. J. | 5 |
| Goodman, Ethel | 5 | Wolf, Max | 25 |
| Greenblatt, Mrs. B. | 3 | | |
| In Memory of— Bertin, Falk | 5 | | |

**Total** ..... $229

### Contributions received through the Catholic Charities:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Anonymous | $5 | Langan, Helen A. | $5 |
| Apostoloff, Gabrielle and Serge | 5 | Morgan, Kath. M. | 5 |
| Boyce, Mary B. | 10 | O'Connor, Mrs. B. | 5 |
| Friedman, Milton | 10 | Scully, Miss H. M. | 5 |
| Junkersfeld, Anna B. | 5 | Steinbugler, J. L. | 10 |
| | | Travers, Frank | 25 |

**Total** ..... $78

### Contributions received through the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Anonymous | $5 | Lease, Grace M. | $5 |
| Anonymous | 2 | Mawson, Nettie | 2 |
| Anonymous | 1 | Memory of— | |
| Anonymous | 1 | My Sister | 5 |
| Anonymous | 5 | O'Connor, MarianH. | 5 |
| Anonymous | 1 | O'Connor, MarianH. | 5 |
| Baldwin, Emma | 2 | O'Connor, MarianH. | 5 |
| Blair, Jennie S. | 1 | Olmstead, Hazel R. | 10 |
| Bopp, Mildred I. | 1 | Osborne, Alice E. | 10 |
| C. L. S. | 2 | Quincy, Polly | 10 |
| Cummings, Lillian | 5 | Russell, Anna A. | 5 |
| Elmore, Elmore | 2.50 | Scheer, Augusta | 25 |
| Hill, Marrietta G. | 10 | Sinkus, Ed. H. | 5 |
| Hunter, Mrs. H. T. | 25 | Walton, G. M. | 25 |
| Karen, Morton | 25 | Wagener, Julia C. | 2.50 |
| Jimmie | 2 | Wagener, Julia C. | 2.50 |
| Kinsman, Clara | 10 | Wilde, Lillian M. | 2 |
| L. M. | 5 | Wirana, Evelina | 50 |

**Total** ..... $286.50

### Contributions received through the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Anonymous | $10 | In Memory of | |
| Anonymous | 1 | Bertin, Falk | 5 |
| Anonymous | 1 | Kaye, Mildred J. | 1 |
| B. K. H. S. | 10 | L. M. S. | 20 |
| Cohen, Mrs. Philip | 10 | Levine, Mrs. Abe | 5 |
| Falk, A. | 10 | Levy, Julia | 15 |
| Friedman, Milton | 5 | Louis, Mrs. Abe | 5 |
| Hale, Mrs. A. B. | 5 | Walker, Mrs. J. | 5 |
| Goodman, Ethel | 5 | Wolf, Max | 25 |
| Greenblatt, Mrs. B. | 3 | | |
| In Memory of— Bertin, Falk | 5 | | |

**Total** ..... $229

### Contributions received through the Catholic Charities:

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| Anonymous | $5 | Langan, Helen A. | $5 |
| Apostoloff, Gabrielle and Serge | 5 | Morgan, Kath. M. | 5 |
| Boyce, Mary B. | 10 | O'Connor, Mrs. B. | 5 |
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| Junkersfeld, Anna B. | 5 | Steinbugler, J. L. | 10 |
| | | Travers, Frank | 25 |

**Total** ..... $78

### Contributions received through the State Charities Aid

# $280,000 SHORTAGE FACES LOAN ASS'N

### Deficiencies Cover 14 Years, but Examiners in Hackensack Fail to Fix Responsibility.

### DIRECTORS RAISE $208,500

### Mayor-Elect Contributes $50,000 Toward Fund to Restore Company to Solvency.

*Special to The New York Times.*

HACKENSACK, N. J., Dec. 17.—A shortage of $280,000 has been discovered in the accounts of the Industrial Building and Loan Association of Hackensack.

A preliminary report by examiners for the State Department of Banking and Insurance stated the amount of the deficit today, but failed to fix the responsibility for the shortage. An investigation to this end will be continued.

Meanwhile, Mayor-elect N. Demarest Campbell and thirteen other directors of the association have agreed to make up the deficiency. They held a conference ten days ago, when the shortage appeared to be small, and agreed to contribute whatever was necessary to restore the association to solvency. The Mayor-elect promised to give up to $50,000; so did Frank Young.

Some of the other directors and the amounts pledged are E. K. Conrad, $30,000; Joseph A. Van Valen, $20,000; Dr. George W. Finke, $15,000; H. H. Schoonmaker, $15,000; L. C. Linkeran, $10,000, and William H. White, $10,000. The other members of the directorate subscribed toward the shortage in amounts ranging from $1,000 to $8,000. The total was $208,500.

Examination of the books was made by James McMaster, Chief of the Building and Loan Division of the Department of Banking and Insurance, and James H. McNish, an examiner, at the request of the directors of the association. Crichton, Reilly & Co., certified public accountants, were employed to aid in the audit of the books.

The report says the shortage covers fourteen years, although the State Department of Banking and Insurance is supposed to make an annual inspection of all such organizations. This deficiency is said to be the largest in the history of the building and loan associations in New Jersey.

The directors said the investigation would be continued to see whether it was possible to fix the responsibility for the losses. So far as the experts have gone, it is said, they have found that the deficiency was an accumulation of smaller shortages.

Not all of the deficiency is due to the actual disappearance of cash. Some of it results from the failure to earn interest on money that should have been in the treasury, but was not there.

Until the official reports are made the division between lost cash and unearned interest cannot be determined, but it is believed that something over $200,000 in cash and $80,000 in interest would constitute the gross shortage.

According to the last annual report of Jan. 15, 1924, certified to by Henry M. Hardie, chartered accountant, the total assets of the association were then $225,841.65, but a checking of the passbooks and certificates of shares shows that the association should have assets of more than $509,000.

# HAARMANN IS SANE, SAY GERMAN ALIENISTS

### They Do Not Excuse Mental State of Slayer of 26—Prosecutor Asks Sentence of Death.

HANOVER, Germany, Dec. 17 (Associated Press).—Fritz Haarmann, on trial for the murder of more than a score of young men, although inferior mentally, is not irresponsible under the definition of the law, according to the unanimous testimony of three alienists at the trial today. They were Professor Ernest Schultze of the University of Goettingen, Dr. Schackowitz of the local prison and Dr. Brandt, the nerve specialist.

From the testimony of the physicians, the attorneys stated that the issue seemed to be whether Haarmann's crimes could be construed as murder in the first degree or only manslaughter. Despite the defendant's alleged confession to twenty-six slayings, it was said that evidence of premeditation appeared difficult to establish. Haarmann claiming that in the perpetration of the crimes he was in a state of abnormal excitement.

Dr. Schultze's testimony today abounded in revelations of what he termed Haarmann's "inordinate vanity." The witness said:

"Haarmann rejoices in a possible beheading as though it were his own wedding. He wants a big monument erected over his grave with an inscription testifying to his breaking the world's record for wholesale murders. During one of my interviews with him, he told me: 'I am now a famous man; the whole world talks about me.'"

The prosecuting attorney has demanded the death penalty for Haarmann on twenty-six counts of confessed murder.

# KALGAN IS BURNED BY CHINESE TROOPS

### Peking Sends Force to Quell Mutineers, Who Have Also Looted the City.

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PEKING, Dec. 17.—A military outbreak has occurred at Kalgan, 100 miles northwest of Peking, and it is much more serious than first reports indicated. The troops broke loose and began looting on a wide scale.

Fires were started and spread until half the town was destroyed, because all the water was frozen. Just as the Japanese Consulate was about to be enveloped in the flames the wind changed and it was saved.

The more important foreign property is outside the affected zone, but a few smaller foreign properties were either looted or burned.

A large military force was hurried up by rail to quell the mutinous troops. Rail communication is not interrupted.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Coast Guard awarded today contracts for twenty-five additional 75-foot motor patrol boats to be used on the Atlantic coast as rum chasers. One contract calling for fifteen was let to the Mathias Yacht Building Company at Camden, N. J., at a price of $18,675 each. The Gibbs Gas Engine Company of Jacksonville, Fla., will build the other ten at $19,945 each.

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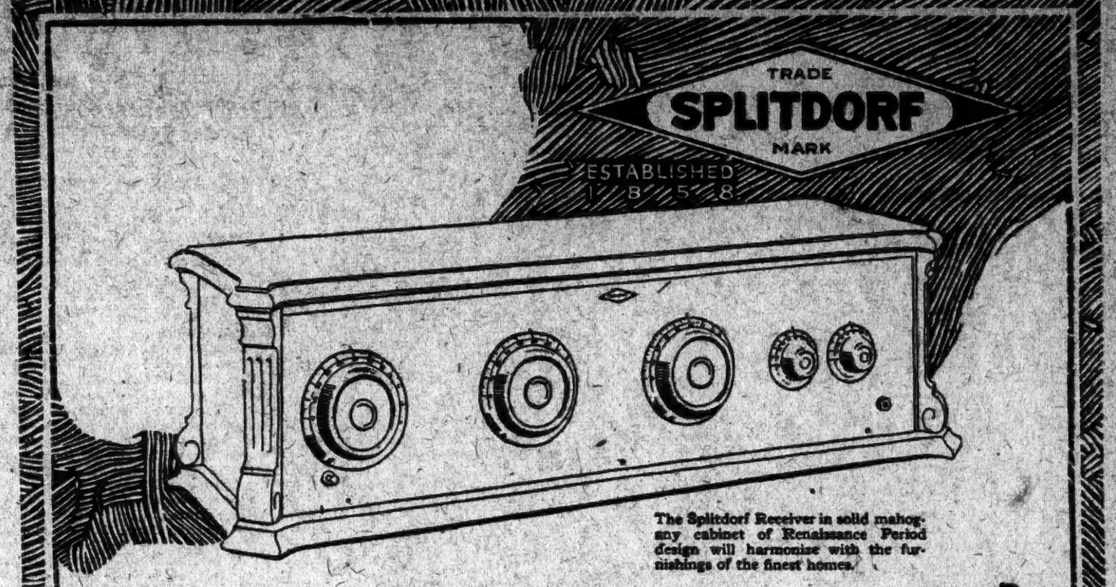


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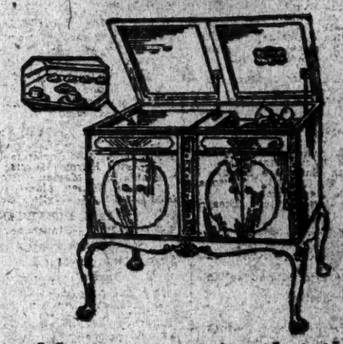

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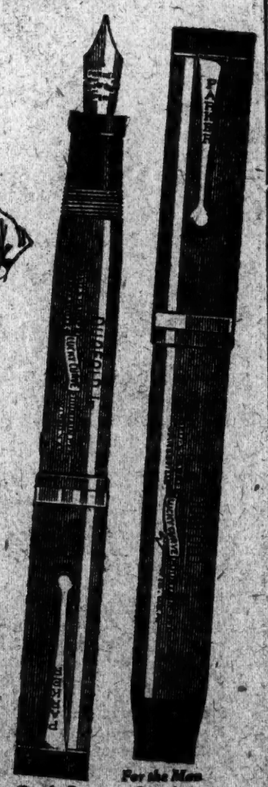

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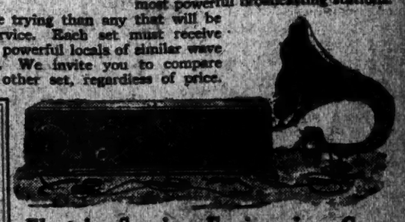

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# Today's Radio Program

Dec. 18, 1924.
(Eastern Standard Time.)
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**WEAF, NEW YORK—492.**

9:30 A. M.—Samuel Gompers' funeral services direct from the Elks' Club, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise officiating; eulogy by James Duncan, First Vice President of the American Federation of Labor; Elks' service; quartet, soloist and organ accompaniment.
11:30 A. M.—To be announced.
11:30 A. M.—"Will Your Wardrobe See You Through?" by Edith Burtis.
11:45 A. M.—Rata Presente, piano.
11:30 A. M.—"Getting Ready for Xmas," Ida Allen.
11:00 A. M.—Rata Presente, piano.
12:30 M.—Market and weather reports.
4:00 P. M.—Mary and Madeline Foy, songs.
4:15-5:00 P. M.—"Robert Schumann," lecture-recital, by Victor Biart, pianist.
6:00 P. M.—Instrumental quartet.
7:00 P. M.—New York Federation of Churches mid-week services.
7:30 P. M.—Helen Graves, soprano.
7:40 P. M.—Walter Leary, baritone.
7:50 P. M.—"Gifts for Women," by Nat Lewis.
8:00 P. M.—Helen Graves, soprano.
8:15 P. M.—Walter Leary, baritone.
8:30 P. M.—Travelogue.
9:00 P. M.—"Hohner Harmony Hour."
9:30 P. M.—New York Railroad Club dinner direct from the Hotel Commodore; toastmaster, W. F. Jones; speakers, Dr. David Friday, R. S. Burlen.
10:25 P. M.—Brooklyn Society Orchestra.
11:00-12:00 P. M.—Lopez Orchestra.

**WNYC, NEW YORK—526.**

7:10 P. M.—Sinking Fund Commission meeting resumed.
7:30 P. M.—Police alarms.
7:35 P. M.—"Sports Analysis," Thornton Fisher.
7:45 P. M.—Rossland Orchestra.
8:00 P. M.—Baseball talk, by P. G. Lieb.
8:45 P. M.—Binky Lieb, recitations.
8:55 P. M.—Gramatan Quartet.
9:30 P. M.—"Timely Topics," F. P. Bent.
9:40-10:00 P. M.—"A Night in Camp," under the auspices of the 14th Infantry, National Guard.
10:00 P. M.—Weather forecasts.
10:30 P. M.—Police alarms.

**WJZ, NEW YORK—455.**

10:00 A. M.—Menu, Mrs. Julian Health.
10:20 A. M.—Talk, "The Progress of the World."
10:30 P. M.—"Mrs. Santa's Household Gift Bag," Ethel Peyser.
10:40 A. M.—Talk, "Last Minute Gifts."
10:50 A. M.—Eleanor Gunn's fashion talk.
11:00 P. M.—Hotel Pennsylvania Orchestra.
4:00 P. M.—Victor Wilbur, songs.
4:15 P. M.—Sarah Paris, piano.
4:30 P. M.—Hotel Commodore tea music.
5:30 P. M.—Farm reports; closing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange; foreign exchange quotations; news.
7:00 P. M.—Santa Claus.
7:05 P. M.—Hotel Commodore Orchestra.
7:55 P. M.—"Don't for Dumb-Bells," by J. B. Kennedy.
8:00 P. M.—Financial review.
8:10 P. M.—"Sociology," Professor E. G. Payne.
8:30 P. M.—Organ recital.
8:30 P. M.—Wright and Bessinger, songs.
9:45 P. M.—Frank Anderson, baritone.
10:00 P. M.—"The Wisdom of Laziness," Fred Kelly.
10:15 P. M.—Sanchez and Milstead, songs.
10:30 P. M.—Waldorf-Astoria Dance Orchestra.

**WJY, NEW YORK—405.**

7:30 P. M.—Funk's Orchestra.
8:00 P. M.—"How to Make a Real English Plum Pudding," E. R. Leak.
8:15 P. M.—Comedy, "Wedding Bells," from WGY, Schnectady.
10:15 P. M.—Malle and Spett, songs.

**WGBS, NEW YORK—316.**

10:00 A. M.—Timely talks.
10:10 A. M.—Agnes MacPeake, soprano.
10:20 A. M.—Talk.
10:30 A. M.—Agnes MacPeake, soprano.
10:40 A. M.—Talk.
10:50 A. M.—Agnes MacPeake, soprano.
1:30-2:30 P. M.—Ritz-Carlton Orchestra.
3:00 P. M.—Interview with Harriet Underhill.
3:10 P. M.—C. B. Allen, baritone.
3:20 P. M.—Talk, John Faust.
3:30 P. M.—C. B. Allen, baritone.
3:40 P. M.—Beauty talk.
3:50 P. M.—C. B. Allen, baritone.
6:00-6:30 P. M.—Uncle Geebee.
6:30-6:50 P. M.—Loretta Brady, children's stories.
6:50-7:00 P. M.—Lefia Gardner, Negro Spirituals.
7:30-8:00 P. M.—Playlet, "Bound East for Cardiff."
8:00-8:30 P. M.—Talk.
8:30-9:00 P. M.—European plays, by C. M. Seyler.
9:00-9:30 P. M.—104th Engineers Band.
9:30-9:45 P. M.—Belle Bart, astrologist.
9:45-10:30 P. M.—104th Engineers Band.
10:30-10:50 P. M.—W. D. Connolly, baritone.
10:50-11:00 P. M.—Talk, Jane Dixon.
11:30 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Piccadilly Theatre music.

**WHN, NEW YORK—360.**

12:30-1:00 P. M.—Palais d'Or Orchestra.
5:30-5:30 P. M.—Tangoland Orchestra.
7:30-7:10 P. M.—Alamac Orchestra.
7:10-7:30 P. M.—Employment Broadcasting.
9:00 P. M.—News.
9:27 P. M.—Spear's Orchestra.
10:00 P. M.—Talk.
10:05 P. M.—Vaudeville.
10:30 P. M.—Club Madrid Orchestra; songs.
10:45 P. M.—Healey and Camp, songs.
11:00 P. M.—Smith's Orchestra.
11:30 P. M.—Wood's Entertainers.
11:45 P. M.—Bob Schaefer, baritone.
12:00 P. M.—Symphonic Clowns Orchestra.
12:30-1:00 A. M.—Gold's Orchestra.

**WFBH, NEW YORK—273.**

2:00 P. M.—Club Frontenac Orchestra.
5:00-6:00 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos; talk; reading.
6:00 P. M.—Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Dinner table talks.
7:30 P. M.—Huot's Orchestra.
11:30 P. M.—Midnight rendezvous.

**WBBR, NEW YORK—273.**

9:10 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos; Sunday school lesson.

**WOR, NEWARK—405.**

7:00 A. M.—Gym class.
2:30 P. M.—Claude Warford, piano; Gladys Davey, soprano; Mary Davis, contralto; Joseph Keyser, baritone.
3:00 P. M.—Nellie Savage, songs.
3:15 P. M.—Program of 2:30 P. M. continued.
3:45 P. M.—Nellie Savage, songs.
4:15 P. M.—Children's period.
6:20 P. M.—"Radio for the Layman," A. E. Sonn.
6:30 P. M.—Country Club Orchestra.
7:15 P. M.—Sports resume.

**WAAM, NEWARK—263.**

11:00 A. M.—Amateur radio news.
11:10 A. M.—Rev. E. Haines, cornet; J. A. Scott, tenor.

**WBW, TARRYTOWN—273.**

8:00 P. M.—Music.
8:30 P. M.—"Reptiles," A. L. Gillam.
9:00 P. M.—Police alarms.
10:30 P. M.—Music.

**WIP, PHILADELPHIA—509.**

1:00 P. M.—Tea Room Orchestra.
1:30 P. M.—Weather forecast.
3:00 P. M.—Women's City Club news; talk by Mrs. J. W. Fry.
3:15 P. M.—Mary B. Wagner, soprano; G. E. Frederick, violin; G. Romanelli, baritone.
6:05 P. M.—Weather forecast.
6:07 P. M.—Club Madrid Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Uncle Wip's roll-call; birthday list; dancing lesson.
8:00 P. M.—Opera, "Barber of Seville"; descriptive resume of the opera by Elliott Lester.
11:00 P. M.—Dance music by Harvey Marbunger and his vaudeville orchestra, broadcast direct from the Cafe L'Aigion.

**WDAR, PHILADELPHIA—395.**

11:45 A. M.—Daily almanac.
12:02 P. M.—Organ recital; orchestra; songs.
2:00-3:00 P. M.—Arcadia Orchestra; artist recital.
4:30 P. M.—Artist recital.
5:00 P. M.—Educational talk; questions.
7:30 P. M.—Dream Daddy.

**WFI, PHILADELPHIA—395.**

10:15 A. M.—Market reports.
1:00 P. M.—Meyer Davis Orchestra.
1:50 P. M.—Agricultural reports.
3:00 P. M.—Chicago grain market prices.
3:05 P. M.—Housewives' Exchange.
3:15 P. M.—Concert.
6:30 P. M.—Meyer Davis Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Bedtime stories.
7:00 P. M.—Boy Scout meeting.
8:30 P. M.—Lluzzi Instrumental Trio.
8:50 P. M.—Elizabeth Harrison, soprano; Warner Heston, flute
9:30 P. M.—University of Pennsylvania Band.

**WOO, PHILADELPHIA—509.**

11:00 A. M.—Organ recital.
11:30 A. M.—Weather forecast.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 M.—Tea Room Orchestra.
5:40 P. M.—Police reports.
5:45 P. M.—Organ; trumpets.
9:00 P. M.—Time signals; weather.

**WFAN, ATLANTIC CITY—275.**

2:00 P. M.—Seaside Orchestra.
4:30 P. M.—Address, W. E. Emley.
8:30 P. M.—Seaside Orchestra.

**WBZ, SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—337.**

11:55 A. M.—Time signals; weather and market reports.
6:00 P. M.—Schrafft Ensemble.
8:30 P. M.—Hotel Lennox Ensemble.
7:00 P. M.—Market report.
7:05 P. M.—Bedtime story.
7:15 P. M.—New England Homestead Letter; "At the Theatres," by A. L. S. Wood.
7:45 P. M.—St. James Orchestra.
8:15 P. M.—W. S. Brown, tenor; Edward Adelman, violin; Evelyn Murray, interpreter; J. E. Rouse, piano.
9:00 P. M.—Talk for U. S. world war veterans.
9:15 P. M.—Mrs. W. Williams, soprano; L. Spittal, tenor; Irene Atkins, piano.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals; weather reports.
10:01 P. M.—Musical program.

**WGY, SCHENECTADY—380.**

11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:30 P. M.—Stock market report.
12:40 P. M.—Produce market report.
12:45 P. M.—Weather report.
2:00 P. M.—Music and talk, "Good Times for Young People," by Daniel Chase.
6:00 P. M.—Market quotations; news bulletins.
6:15 P. M.—State highways report.
6:30 P. M.—Dinner music.
7:45 P. M.—"Books," by L. L. Hopkins.
8:00 P. M.—"Border Ballads," by Dr. C. A. Richmond.
8:30 P. M.—Comedy, "Wedding Bells."
11:30 P. M.—Organ recital.

**WJAR, PROVIDENCE—360.**

8:55 A. M.—Same as WEAF.
1:05 P. M.—Studio recital.

**WEAN, PROVIDENCE—275.**

10:00 A. M.—Housewives' message.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 P. M.—Colonial Concert Orchestra.
12:10 P. M.—Weather report.
12:15 P. M.—Music.
4:00 P. M.—Weather report.
4:30 P. M.—Colonial Dance Orchestra.
6:30 P. M.—Colonial Orchestra; Tommy Martin, songs.
7:00 P. M.—"The Empty Basket," Susan Adams.

**WDBH, WORCESTER, MASS.—395.**

11:30 A. M.—Music.
11:45 A. M.—Market and weather report.
12:00 M.-2:00 P. M.—Luncheon music.
3:00-5:00 P. M.—Tea music.
5:15 P. M.—Bedtime story.
5:30 P. M.—Dinner music.

**WGI, MEDFORD, MASS.—360.**

7:30 P. M.—Boston police reports.
7:45 P. M.—Code practice.
8:00 P. M.—Musicale; weather report.

**WEEI, BOSTON—363.**

1:00 P. M.—Boston Chamber of Commerce meeting; address by Francis P. Garvan.
6:00 P. M.—Mansion Inn Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Big Brother Club meeting.
7:30-9:00 P. M.—Band.
10:30 P. M.—Sinfonians Orchestra.

**WNAC, BOSTON—375.**

10:28 A. M.—Women's Club Talks.
12:15 P. M.—King's Chapel service.
1:00 P. M.—Colonial Orchestra.
3:00 P. M.—Colonial Orchestra.
3:15 P. M.—Reproducing piano selections.
3:35 P. M.—Talk, E. L. Greene.
3:45 P. M.—Theatre Orchestra.
6:30 P. M.—Dinner Dance.
8:00 P. M.—Melody Male Quartette.
9:00 P. M.—Boston City Club musical program.
10:00 P. M.—Organ recital.

**WTAB, FALL RIVER—360.**

8:00 P. M.—Choir; vocal and instrumental solos.

**WRC, WASHINGTON—469.**

6:45 P. M.—Children's hour.
7:00 P. M.—Same as WJZ.
8:00 P. M.—Latin American program; Army Band.
10:30 P. M.—Same as WJZ.

**WCAP, WASHINGTON—469.**

8:55 A. M.—Same as WEAF.

**WHAM, ROCHESTER—278.**

3:30-4:00 P. M.—Eastman Orchestra.
5:00-6:00 P. M.—Organ recital.
6:50 P. M.—Weather and market report.
7:00-7:30 P. M.—Eastman Orchestra.
7:30 P. M.—Musical program.

**WGR, BUFFALO—319.**

10:45 A. M.—Weather forecast.
12:00 M.—Market and weather reports.
2:30 P. M.—Concert.
6:00 P. M.—String quartet.
7:30 P. M.—News; agriograms; employment bulletin; stories.

**KDKA, PITTSBURGH—326.**

9:45 A. M.—Market reports.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals; weather and market reports.
12:15 P. M.—Scalzo's Orchestra.
3:30 P. M.—Closing market prices.
6:30 P. M.—Dinner concert.
7:30 P. M.—Market reports.
8:00 P. M.—Farm program.
8:30 P. M.—Orchestra; Mabel King, soprano; Patti Baldridge, contralto.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals; weather forecast.
11:00 P. M.—Concert.

**WCAE, PITTSBURGH—462.**

6:30 P. M.—Dinner concert.
7:30 P. M.—Bedtime stories.
7:45 P. M.—Feature.
8:30 P. M.—Concert.

**CFCA, TORONTO—400.**

8:00 P. M.—Choir; orchestra.

**CKAC, MONTREAL—425.**

4:00 P. M.—Weather; stock report.
6:00-7:00 P. M.—Special program to Gemir Troupe; Maurice Jacques, piano; Audrey Cook, violin; Yvette Lamontagne, cello.

**WEAD, COLUMBUS—360.**

8:00 P. M.—Chimes; talk; vocal and instrumental solos.

**WJAX, CLEVELAND—390.**

7:00-8:00 P. M.—Wylie's Orchestra.
8:00-9:00 P. M.—"Christmas in Australia," Captain Kilroy Harris; Mary Morgan, contralto; Marian Stevens, soprano; Francis Kinney, piano.
10:00-12:00 P. M.—Wylie's Orchestra.

**WTAM, CLEVELAND—390.**

6:00-7:00 P. M.—Dinner dance.

**WHK, CLEVELAND—285.**

8:00-11:30 P. M.—Music.

**WWJ, DETROIT—516.**

8:30 P. M.—Goldkette's Orchestra; Mrs. T. E. Ouellette, soprano.
10:00 P. M.—Goldkette's Orchestra.
11:30 P. M.—Detroit News Orchestra.

**WKBO, LANSING—288.**

6:30-10:00 P. M.—Music.

**WMH, CINCINNATI—309.**

9:00 P. M.—Organ; Wright and Bessinger, songs; C. R. Cornulle, tenor.
10:00 P. M.—Avon Orchestra.

**WSAI, CINCINNATI—309.**

11:00 P. M.—To be announced.

**WLW, CINCINNATI—423.**

11:00 P. M.—Civil service message.
11:03 P. M.—Instrumental Trio; Karl Kirksmith, 'cello; Dohertz's Orchestra.

**WHAS, LOUISVILLE—400.**

8:30-10:00 P. M.—Bluegrass Serenaders; Sunday school lesson; welfare talk; news; time announced at 10 o'clock.

**WSB, ATLANTA—429.**

9:00-10:00 P. M.—Music.
11:45 P. M.—Organ recital.

**WEBH, CHICAGO—370.**

8:00-9:00 P. M.—Orchestra; songs.
10:00-11:00 P. M.—Orchestra; vocal solos; golf lesson.
12:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Orchestra; songs; revue; stories.

**WLS, CHICAGO—345.**

7:00 P. M.—Market summary; farm news.
7:30-8:20 P. M. — Organ; lullaby time; operetta.

**KYW, CHICAGO—536.**

8:00-8:30 P. M.—Dinner concert.
9:00-9:20 P. M.—C. J. Fernin, reader.
9:20-10:15 P. M.—Music.
11:00 P. M.-12:30 A/M.—Studio program; Coon-Sanders Orchestra; news every half hour.

**WGN, CHICAGO—370.**

7:30-8:00 P. M.—Dinner music.
9:00-10:00 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental music.
11:00-12:00 P. M. — Chapman's Orchestra; songs.

**WMAQ, CHICAGO—448.**

7:30 P. M.—La Salle Orchestra.
10:00 P. M.—University of Chicago lecture.
10:15 P. M.—Musical program.

**WCBD, ZION, ILL.—345.**

9:00 P. M.—Cornet quartet; mixed quartet; vocal and instrumental solos.

**WTAS, ELGIN, ILL.—286.**

10:30 P. M.—Studio recital.
11:30 P. M.—Supper music.
12:30 A. M.—Orchestra; songs.

**WOC, DAVENPORT, IOWA—484.**

7:45 P. M.—Sport news; weather forecast.
8:00 P. M.—Bedtime story.
8:00 P. M.—Blackhawk Hotel Orchestra.
12:00 P. M.—Orchestra; songs.
1:15 A. M.—Coliseum Orchestra.

**WOI, AMES, IOWA—360.**

9:00 P. M.—Oratorio, "Messiah."
10:30 P. M.—Weather report.

**WCAL, NORTHFIELD—360.**

10:00 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos.

**WCCO, MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL—417.**

8:30 P. M.—Talk.
8:45 P. M.—St. Paul Real Estate Board program.
11:00 P. M.—Nankin Cafe Orchestra.

**WDAF, KANSAS CITY—411.**

6:50-7:00 P. M. — Weather; market, time, road reports.
7:00-8:00 P. M.—Piano; readings; stories; orchestra.
12:45 A. M.—Nighthawk Frolic.

**WMC, MEMPHIS—500.**

9:30 P. M.—To be announced.

**KFKX, HASTINGS—291.**

10:30 P. M.—Hastonians' Dance Orchestra.

**WOAW, OMAHA—526.**

7:30 P. M.—Dinner concert.
10:00 P. M.—Spelbring's Orchestra.
10:30 P. M.—Drama, "The Scoop."
11:30 P. M.—Wow! Frolic.

**WFAA, DALLAS—476.**

9:30-10:30 P. M.—Prohsian Singing Society.
12:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Adolphus Orchestra.

**WBAP, FORT WORTH—476.**

8:30-9:30 P. M.—Southern Melody Four.
10:30 P. M.—Music.

**KHJ, LOS ANGELES—395.**

11:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Music.
1:00-2:00 A. M.—Biltmore Orchestra.

**KFI, LOS ANGELES—469.**

11:00-12:00 P. M.—Songs.
12:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Studio recital.
1:00-3:00 A. M.—Music.

**KGO, OAKLAND, CAL.—312.**

11:00 P. M.—Orchestra; mixed and male quartets; vocal and instrumental solos.
1:00-4:00 A. M.—Orchestra; songs.

**KPO, SAN FRANCISCO—422.**

10:00-10:30 P. M.—Fairmont Orchestra.
11:00-12:00 P. M.—Organ recital.
12:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos.
1:00-2:00 A. M.—Bradfield's Band.

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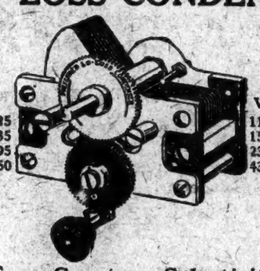

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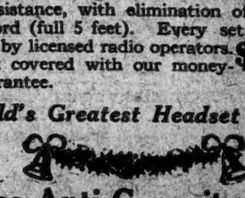

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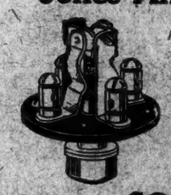

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# JOHNSON IS SHORN OF BASEBALL POWER

### American League Tells Landis It Will Remove Its President if Commissioner So Desires.

### OUT OF ADVISORY COUNCIL

### Johnson Also Pledged to Confine Activities to Affairs in His Own Circuit.

### LANDIS FORCES ACTION

### Rejects Peace Offer of Committee—All in American League Sign Pledge Except St. Louis.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17 (Associated Press).—Byron Bancroft Johnson, founder and President of the American League since its inception twenty-three years ago, tonight was partly stripped of his power in organized baseball and threatened with deposition.

The club owners of the American League, meeting in joint session with the eight club owners of the National League, pledged to Kenesaw Mountain Landis, Commissioner of Baseball at a salary of $50,000 a year, that President Johnson would be removed from office if he did not immediately cease what was termed his "misconduct," meaning criticism of Landis's administration.

The pledge was made in the form of a typewritten statement. The letter was a scathing rebuke of President Johnson for his criticism of Commissioner Landis because the Commissioner did not call off the 1924 world series after the scandal in New York. President Johnson did not attend the joint session. The letter was signed by all the American League club owners except St. Louis.

The major league agreement also was amended and the American League club owners removed President Johnson as a member of the Baseball Advisory Council, electing Frank J. Navin, President of the Detroit Club, as Johnson's successor. They also guaranteed to Landis that legislation would be adopted to limit Johnson's activities to the internal affairs of the American League. In addition, they pledged that they would adopt such measures which Commissioner Landis thought advisable, including the removal of Johnson, if necessary.

**Johnson Leaves Hotel.**

This startling action, resulting after a series of secret meetings, in which American Leaguers participated during the day, exploded like a bombshell in the ranks of organized baseball.

The American League club owners, after a peace committee had twice conferred with Commissioner Landis, held a meeting at which the letter publicly denouncing Johnson for his criticism of Commissioner Landis's administration was drawn up, signed by all of the club owners, excepting St. Louis, and later presented to Landis for adoption at the joint session.

President Johnson, after a conference with his club owners prior to the joint meeting, suddenly left the hotel without announcing his destination and was not in attendance when the letter of his attacks on the Commissioner was presented.

The action of the American League club owners in publicly denouncing Johnson for his attacks on Landis and his administration was regarded as a sweeping triumph for the Commissioner, who since the scandal involving Cozy Dolan and Jimmie O'Connell of the Giants, before the 1924 world's series, has been severely criticised by Johnson.

Johnson, after Landis banished Dolan and O'Connell from organized baseball, referred to the Commissioner as a "wild-eyed crazy nut," and also said Landis should have called off the 1924 world's series because of the scandal on the eve of the baseball classic.

Landis made no reply to this criticism, keeping silent as he carried on his investigation of baseball scandals and ordered the world's series played with O'Connell, outfielder of the Giants, out of the line-up.

An amendment to the major league agreement was necessary before the American Leaguers were able to remove Johnson from membership on the Advisory Council and elect Navin as his successor. When the Advisory Council was created after the National Commission passed out of existence, it was composed of Commissioner Landis, John A. Heydler, President of the National League, and President Johnson of the American League, under the terms of its agreement, which provided that its membership should be made up of the two major league Presidents and the Commissioner.

The amendment to this agreement changed it to provide that any club President could be elected to membership on the Advisory Council by a majority vote of its league members in the event the league President is not chosen to serve.

The letter from the American League club owners to Landis guaranteed that if Landis did not approve of Johnson's conduct in the future the American Leaguers would adopt any and all measures that Commissioner Landis considered advisable.

**Committee Fails to Close Breach.**

The letter further declared that conditions created by President Johnson were intolerable to Landis and gravely harmful to baseball, and that Johnson sought to cast suspicion on the 1924 world's series and discredit Landis's action in dealing with the crookedness.

The communication to Landis was the outgrowth of the American League Peace Committee, composed of Thomas S. Shibe of the Philadelphia Club, Colonel Jacob Ruppert of the New York Yankees and E. S. Barnard of the Cleveland Club, and their efforts to effect a reconciliation between Johnson and Landis.

This committee conferred with Landis before noon, and evidently failed in its efforts to close the breach. Landis instructed them to return to their American League associates, carrying with them his suggestions to the proposals they had submitted to him.

After a second conference shortly after noon, the announcement was made that the joint session originally scheduled for 11 A. M. and four times postponed, would be held at 3 P. M. They finally went into session at 3:30 P. M. and after nearly three hours of deliberations, newspaper men were called.

Commissioner Landis, smiling broadly, gave no hint of what action had been taken, referring his interviewers to his secretary, who began reading the communication from the American League club owners.

The following is the American League document that was submitted to Landis at the joint meeting by Colonel Ruppert:

We recognize that conditions have arisen that are gravely harmful to baseball and that must be intolerable to you and that these conditions have been created by the activities of the President of the American League.

While you were dealing promptly and efficiently with a most deplorable exception to baseball's honorable record, our President sought to discredit your action and to cast suspicion upon the 1924 world's series.

One year ago you made known to us in the presence various of his activities and it was our expectation and hope that the unanimous action then taken certainly would operate as a corrective, but in this expectation and hope we have been disappointed.

We do not extenuate these things or question their harmful effect on baseball. However, he has been President of the league since its inception and we ask you to again overlook his conduct and accept from us these guarantees:

First, that his misconduct will cease on his immediate removal from office will follow.

Second, that legislation will be adopted that will limit his activities to the internal affairs of the American League.

Third, that any and all measures which you may deem advisable to secure the above will be adopted.

As expressing our attitude toward your administration of the Commissioner's office, we tender you herewith a copy of the resolution unanimously adopted by the American League, at its annual meeting in New York, Dec. 10, 1924:

(Signed)
THOMAS S. SHIBE, Philadelphia.
CLARK C. GRIFFITH, Washington.
ROBERT QUINN, Boston.
CHARLES A. COMISKEY, Chicago.
E. S. BARNARD, Cleveland.
JACOB RUPPERT, New York.
FRANK J. NAVIN, Detroit.

**Landis Withholds Comment.**

When the reading of the letter was finished Landis, still smiling, refused to make any comment, except to say this:

"I have nothing to say. The letter speaks for itself."

A committee of American League club owners, consisting of Connie Mack, T. S. Shibe and Clark Griffith was named tonight to call on President Johnson tomorrow morning, presumably to ask him not to resign. The members of the committee would not reveal the exact purpose of their visit but said that they all felt that President Johnson was needed in the national game and should not forsake it as the result of the present controversy.

After disposing of the Johnson issue American and National League club owners adopted many minor resolutions. Commissioner Landis was permitted to grant to players the right to play exhibition games on Armistice Day, provided the games were for charity. A request of the umpires for increased compensation for officiating in a world's series was referred to the Commissioner for final action.

The proposal of Charles Ebbets of the Brooklyn Robins that opening games of the world's series be held in National League parks one year and American League parks the next, instead of deciding the issue by the flip of a coin, was tabled for consideration at the Spring scheduled meetings.

President Johnson is under a twenty-year contract at a salary of $30,000 a year. His term of office does not expire until 1930. He was elected in 1910 for the twenty-year period, at an increase in salary, after serving as President of the league he founded with the cooperation of Charles A. Comiskey, owner of the Chicago White Sox, for almost a decade. Comiskey was the leading figure in installing Johnson as President of the American League, but since the 1919 world's series scandal has been Johnson's most bitter enemy.

## BOSTON A. A. WINS IN HOCKEY BATTLE

### *Triumphs Over Boston H. C. Sextet in Amateur League Game, 4-1—Van Gerbig Stars.*

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—The Boston Athletic Association sextet defeated the Boston Hockey Club, 4 to 1, here tonight in a listless Eastern wheel game of the United States Amateur Hockey Association schedule.

Individual play and lack of team work featured the play of both teams. Eaton scored the hockey club's goal. Geran and Van Gerbig played a strong game for the winners.

The line-up:

| B. A. A. (4). | | B. H. C. (1). |
|---|---|---|
| Enright | R.D. | Taylor |
| Geran | I.C. | Hutchinson |
| Harrington | L.W. | Sheehy |
| Smith | R.D. | Dunlop |
| Van Gerbig | L.D. | Marshall |
| Lacroux | G. | Langley |

Goals—Enright, Van Gerbig (2), Eaton.

Substitutions—B. A. A.: Hughes for Enright, Lyons for Hughes, Enright for Geran, Hall for Harrington, Enright for Smith. Boston H. C.—Eaton for Taylor, Marshall for Eaton, Scott for Marshall, Drowis for Langley.

Referee—E. Dooby and W. Stewart. Coal Umpires—W. Geezie and R. Beckwith. Time of periods—Three of 15 minutes.

## LAFAYETTE BEATS URSINUS.

### Captures Rough Game on New Court at Easton by 30 to 22.

*Special to The New York Times.*

EASTON, Pa., Dec. 17.—In a rough game Lafayette defeated Ursinus, 30 to 22, on the new gymnasium floor this evening. Hock starred for the home five and Helges for the visitors.

The line-up:

| LAFAYETTE (30). | | URSINUS (22). |
|---|---|---|
| Moore | L.F. | Bigley |
| Hock | R.F. | Kern |
| Duffy | C. | Sommers |
| Millman | L.G. | Clark |
| Grube | R.G. | Helges |

Field goals—Moore 4, Hock 6, Duffy 1, Millman 2; Sterner 1, Bigley 1, Kern 2, Evans 1, Helges 3. Foul goals—Beaken, none out of 4; Moore, none out of 2; Hock, 2 out of 3; Duffy, none out of 1; Millman, 1 out of 2; Smith, 1 out of 2; Grube, none out of 1; Hagey, none out of 1; Bigley, 1 out of 1; Kern, 1 out of 3; Sommers, 4 out of 6.

Substitutions — Lafayette: Beaken for Moore, Smith for Grube, Moore for Beaken, Allen for Duffy, Beaken for Smith. Ursinus: Sterner for Bigley, Evans for Helges, Berk for Sommers, Helges for Evans, Hagey for Sterner, Bigley for Hagey, Sommers for Derk.

Referee—Wilson, Penn State. Time of periods—20 minutes.

## PIRATES SUED FOR $10,000.

### Former Western League Club Owner Files Claim for Elsh's Sale.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Suit for $10,000 was filed against the Pittsburgh Athletic Company, owner of the Pittsburgh club of the National League, by L. S. McKenna of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, today in the United States District Court. McKenna claims the money is due him for the services of E. R. Roy Elsh, outfielder for the Chicago White Sox, whom he sold to the Pirates Aug. 15, 1925.

Baseball Commissioner Landis later awarded the services of Elsh to the White Sox, and the Pittsburgh club refused to pay McKenna, then part owner of the Sioux City club of the Western League, the $10,000 previously agreed upon as the purchase price.

## NICARAGUA HAILS BASEBALL.

### Has Made It a Favorite Sport—To Send Team to Costa Rica.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 17.—For the first time in Central American history baseball has been recognized as an international sport. Nicaragua's champion baseball team has been sent to participate in the Olympic Games in Costa Rica. This is the first time that a team has gone outside its own borders to play with a team of another country.

In Nicaragua the American national game has become a favorite sport. Large crowds of spectators are attending the games, which are superseding cock fighting and gambling in popularity.

### Five Events at Iceland Tonight.

Five events will make up tonight's program at Iceland, the feature being a one-mile handicap for Class A skaters. In this contest Joe Moore, indoor champion, will make his last appearance at Iceland before leaving for Lake Placid.

## *Ruether Bought by Senators, Clark Griffith Announces*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Walter (Dutch) Ruether, left-hand pitcher of the Brooklyn Robins, has been obtained by the Washington Americans, Secretary Eynon of the Senators announced tonight upon receipt of a telegram from President Clark Griffith, who is attending the Chicago baseball meeting. The deal is understood to have been a straight-out cash transaction, but no details were made public here.

# SHOCKER A YANKEE; TRADED FOR BUSH

### Gaston and Giard Also Go to Browns in Exchange for Star Spitball Twirler.

### DEAL CLOSED IN CHICAGO

### No Money Passed in Transaction—Shocker Began Major League Career With Hugmen.

*Special to The New York Times.*

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Urban Shocker came back to the Yankee fold today. The right-handed pitcher of the St. Louis Browns, one of the few spitballers left in baseball, will wear New York spangles next year, for he was traded today for Joe Bush, the veteran fork-ball twirler of the Hugmen; Milton Gaston, a young and promising pitcher, and a young flinger named Joseph Giard, bought by the Yanks from the Toledo club of the American Association.

The much-discussed deal was consummated this morning within an hour after Colonel Jacob Ruppert, Ed Barrow and Miller Huggins had arrived in Chicago for the joint meeting. One of the first things that the New York delegation did after alighting from the Twentieth Century Limited was to seek out George Sisler, manager, and Bill Friel, business manager, of the Browns. Within a few minutes the Browns accepted the New York offer, and not long afterward Barrow broke the news to the press.

The deal has been hanging fire for several weeks—ever since the Browns made it know that Shocker was on the market. The Yanks immediately made an offer, but they had competition from the Senators, Red Sox and other American League clubs. Before and during the Hartford minor league meeting Huggins conferred with Sisler and Friel, but his first proposition was rejected. During the major league meetings in New York last week the Yanks again approached the Browns with a new offer, said to involve about five players.

The final offer, it is said, was that which the Browns accepted today. For a while Sisler balked at the terms and insisted that Waite Hoyt be included, but after thinking the matter over for several days and getting the approval of President Phil Ball, Sisler accepted in short order this morning.

Huggins was inclined to be jubilant over the acquisition of Shocker.

"He'll just about make our pitching staff," said the New York manager. "All I want is another left-hander besides Pennock. Shocker will win at least twenty games, and I expect him to work hard and pitch winning ball with a change of atmosphere. I hated to give up Bush, who has been a good pitcher for us, and I was even more reluctant to give up Gaston, who is one of the best-looking youngsters in the game."

**Advantage Seen for Yanks.**

The news of the completion of the deal for Shocker was received at the Yankee office yesterday morning in a telephone conversation with Barrow. No cash was involved in the deal, it was said.

Baseball men who heard the news declared that the Yanks had got the better of the transaction. They acquire a pitcher who with a fourth-place club won 16 games and lost 13 in 1924, and give up in Bush a hurler who won 17 and lost 16 with a near-championship outfit. Gaston did only relief work for Huggins, winning 5 and losing 3, but working in 29 games.

For present purposes the Yanks undoubtedly have strengthened their pitching staff, although Gaston may turn out to be a bigger winner than either of the two veterans. He is considered by expert judges to have a fine future ahead of him, but Huggins probably preferred to gamble on that and grab a pitcher who would be of greater service in the next year or two.

Neither Shocker nor Bush was a great success last season. Shocker, it was said, had trouble getting along with George Sisler. His relations with the St. Louis club have frequently been marked by unpleasant episodes, such as his indefinite suspension earlier in the year of the 1923 season because the club would not let Shocker take his wife with him on the last Eastern trip.

Bush had his best season with the Yanks in 1922 when he led the league in games won and lost—26 won and 7 lost. He slumped off in 1923, winning 19 and losing 15, but pitched great ball in the triumphant series with the Giants, losing a 2-to-1 decision to Casey Stengel hit a homer in the ninth inning of the first contest, but later winning a decision easily. In 1924 the forkball expert was erratic and undependable, but suddenly recovered form on the last Western trip and almost pitched the Yanks to a fourth pennant.

**Shocker Came Here in 1915.**

Shocker, who is 32 years old, was the property of the Yanks for three years. He began pitching for the Windsor team of the Border League in 1913, was with Ottawa in the Canadian League for two years, and in 1915 was sold to the Yanks for $750. In 1916 he was farmed out on option to Toronto, was recalled Aug. 1 and pitched all the 1917 season with the Yanks.

Huggins, then Yankee manager, thought highly of Shocker, who won 8 games and lost 5 in 1917, but in his desire to get Del Pratt to fill the second base hole, he traded the young twirler to St. Louis with Infielder Joe Gedeon, Catcher Nunamaker, Pitcher Cullop and Infielder Maisel in January, 1918. In cash $15,000 also went to the Browns, and in return came Pratt and Eddie Plank, the famous left-hander, who was then 43 years old and did not report to the Yanks.

Shocker, a smart spitballer, began blossoming out in 1919, when he won 14 and lost 10 games. In 1920 his record was 20 won and 9 lost. In 1921, his greatest season, 27 and 12; in 1922, 24 and 17, and in 1923, 20 and 12.

A powerful man physically, Shocker was worked hard by Manager Fohl, and did much relief duty. He had trouble with Fohl and was almost traded last Winter, following his suspension.

Leslie Joseph Bush rounded out his thirteenth season in the majors last September. After a year with the Missoula club of the Union Association, he was bought by the Athletics in 1912 and jumped into fame when, as a rookie, he beat the Giants in the world's series of 1913. Connie Mack traded Bush to the Red Sox in December, 1917, with Wally Schang and Amos Strunk for players and cash. After four indifferent seasons with the Sox, Joe came to the Yanks in December, 1921, with Sam Jones and Everett Scott in the deal that sent Peckinpaugh, Quinn, Collins and Piercy to Boston.

Gaston was a semi-pro star with the Doherty Silk Sox of Paterson when the Yanks bought him last Winter. He is a brother of Alex Gaston, former catcher of the Giants.

Giard, the Toledan who goes to the Browns, is a left-hander without previous major league experience.

**Gordon in Ridgewood Feature.**

An attractive card of five six-round bouts, with Jackie Gordon, East New York bantamweight, meeting Mike Castle of New Bedford in the featured event, has been arranged by the Ridgewood Grove Sporting Club for its show Saturday night. The principals in the other sixes will be Yale Okun vs. Jack DeMave, Willie Kohler vs. Paddy McNulty, Irish Tommy Jordan vs. Marty Powell and Frankie Curley vs. Willie Brandt.

### BASKETBALL RESULTS.

Columbia 23, N. Y. U. 19.
Princeton 31, Muhlenberg 23.
Harvard 41, Alumni 17.
Navy 32, Loyola College 17.
Penn State 30, Juniata 21.
Colgate 36, Maine 25.
Hamilton 32, Hobart 28.
Lafayette 30, Ursinus 22.
Lehigh 43, Temple 23.
Franklin and Marshall 15, Trinity 8.
Crescent A. C. 36, Manhattan 20.
Cathedral 53, Webb Institute 21.
Dickinson 46, Mont Alto Reserve School 14.

## *Scott, Yale Substitute Back, Wins Cup as the Best Punter*

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 17.—Harry C. Scott, substitute fullback on this year's Yale varsity football team, has won the Mitchell Punting Cup for having been the most consistent kicker on the team. The cup is awarded annually to the player doing the best punting during the season. Scott is a member of the hockey team and also a pitcher on the varsity baseball team. The cup was won last year by Mal Stevens, who was ineligible for the team this year but who aided in coaching the varsity players.

# PRINCETON BEATS MUHLENBERG FIVE

### Triumphs in Slow Battle by 31-23, Winning Second Contest of Season.

*Special to The New York Times.*

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 17.—Princeton won its second basketball game of the season tonight, defeating Muhlenberg in a slow game, 31 to 23. The score see-sawed back and forth through the first half, with the Tigers holding a 1-point advantage at the whistle, but in the second period Princeton easily drew away.

Jim Lemon's fine floor game and the shooting of Steve Cleaves and Art Loeb stood out in Princeton's game, while Captain Clymer played aggressively for the visitors.

The line-up:

| PRINCETON (31). | | MUHLENBERG (23). |
|---|---|---|
| Lemon | R.F. | Lawson |
| Cleaves | R.F. | Ziegenfuss |
| Rhees | C. | Griggs |
| Bartell | L.G. | Clymer |
| Loeb | R.G. | Borell |

Field goals—Lemon (3), Cleaves (5), Loeb (2), Bartell (3), Hyneon, Anderson, Rhees, Gartner, Lawson (2), Griggs (2), Ziegenfuss, Schiums. Foul goals—Cleaves 2 out of 3, Lemon 1 out of 2, Rhees 1 out of 1, Loeb 1 out of 2, Anderson 0 out of 2, Ziegenfuss 3 out of 5, Griggs 2 out of 4, Clymer 4 out of 7, Schiums 1 out of 2.

Substitutions—Hyneon for Rhees, Anderson for Loeb, Rhees for Hyneon, Dillican for Bartell, Gartner for Hyneon, Schiums for Ziegenfuss, Hord for Lawson.

Referee—Read. Umpire—Smith.

## CRESCENTS DEFEAT MANHATTAN, 33-20

### *Keating and Kurtz Feature in Victory for the New Moon Five on Home Court.*

The Crescent Athletic Club five defeated Manhattan College on the Crescent Club court last night by a score of 33 to 20. Poor shooting by the Manhattan forwards and close guarding by the Crescent players earned the victory for the Bay Ridge team. While Keating and Kurtz, the New Moon forwards, rolled up a commanding lead by taking passes from their teammates, outmaneuvring the opposition and dropping the ball through the netting, the Manhattan forwards were having their troubles getting past the centre of the floor and time after time they were forced to shoot from far off.

At half time the Crescent Athletic Club had rolled up the commanding lead of 23 to 6 and during the final period a group of substitutes was sent to the floor. Against the second string men the Manhattan five, led by some fine floor work on the part of Ed Meehan, cut down the lead but the margin was too great to overcome.

The line-up:

| CRESCENT (33). | | MANHATTAN (20). |
|---|---|---|
| Keating | L.F. | O'Melia |
| Kurtz | R.F. | Gene Meehan |
| Trevost | C. | Ed Meehan |
| Ingram | R.G. | Mulligan |
| Crabtree | R.G. | Steffins |

Goals from field—Crescent A. C.: Keating (5), Kurtz (5), Benedict (2), Crabtree. Manhattan: O'Melia (2), Gene Meehan (2), Ed Meehan, Steffins from foul—Crescent A. C.: Keating (2), Kurtz (3), Sim (2). Manhattan: Gene Meehan (2), Ed Meehan (2), Freda (2), O'Melia, Mulligan. Substitutions—Crescent A. C.: Raymond for Sim, Benedict for Kurtz, Lynch for Trevost, Roth for Keating. Manhattan: Freda for Gene Meehan, Ward for Mulligan.

Referee—Tom Thorp, Columbia. Umpire—E. Brunn, Cornell. Time of halves—20 minutes.

## CATHEDRAL FIVE IS VICTOR.

### Beats Webb by 52 to 21, Dooley Making Ten Field Goals.

The Cathedral College five overwhelmed the basketball team from Webb School at Highbridge last night, rolling up the one-sided score of 52 to 21. With Dooley's shooting from the field featuring in the victory, Cathedral forged ahead early in the game and never was caught after it once got under way. Dooley alone accounted for ten goals from the field. He was ably supported in piling the huge total by Cahill and Byron.

Webb had few opportunities to break through the close defense of its opposition, but Dahl, a fast forward, managed to cage five field goals and five more from the foul line. He accounted for all but six of his team's points and was the main threat to the Cathedral team throughout the game.

The line-up:

| CATHEDRAL (52). | | WEBB SCHOOL (21). |
|---|---|---|
| Morrissey | L.F. | Davis |
| Brennen | R.F. | Dahl |
| Dooley | C. | Jeckel |
| Cahill | L.G. | Martin |
| Kenny | R.G. | Brown |

Field goals—Cathedral: Dooley (10), Cahill (5), Byron (4), Kenny (2), Morrissey, Brennen. Webb School—Dahl (5), Davis (2). Foul goals—Cathedral: Byron (2), Morrissey, Brennen, Kenny. Webb School: Dahl (5), Jeckel, Martin.

Substitutions—Cathedral: Byron for Morrissey, Keogh for Cahill, Daily for Morrissey. Webb School: Welsh for Jeckel, Goodwin for Jeckel.

## COLGATE FIVE WINS, 36-35.

### Kennedy's Field Goal Beats Maine in Closing Minutes of Game.

*Special to The New York Times.*

HAMILTON, N. Y., Dec. 17.—A field goal by Kennedy, who was playing guard for the first time, gave the Colgate basketball team a 36 to 35 victory over the University of Maine tonight in the second game of the season. The game was closely contested throughout, with the lead see-sawing in the final minutes.

Kennedy led in scoring with four field goals and six fouls, while Livermore, Maroon captain, made five field baskets. Hanscom, Lake and Soderburg shared the honors for the New Englanders.

The line-up:

| COLGATE (36). | | MAINE (35). |
|---|---|---|
| Cashion | L.F. | Lake |
| Clark | R.F. | Hanscom |
| Luse | C. | Soderburg |
| Livermore | L.G. | Bryant |
| Kennedy | R.G. | Johnson |

Field goals—Colgate: Clark (2), Cashion, Kennedy (4), Livermore (5). Maine: Hanscom (4), Lake (4), Soderburg (3), Johnson, Bryant. Foul goals—Colgate: Clark (3), Luse (3), Kennedy (6). Maine: Hanscom (3), Lake, Soderburg (7).

Substitutions—Colgate: Stone for Luse, Luse for Stone, Williamson for Clark. Maine: Everett for Lake.

Referee—Risley. Time of halves—20 minutes.

### Cohen to Battle Shepherd.

Wilbur Cohen and Johnny Shepherd of Boston will top the card at the Commonwealth Sporting Club Saturday night. They are scheduled to box ten rounds in the semi-final. Georgie Doherty, brother of the late Frankie Jerome, and Izzy Cooper of the West Side will meet in a return engagement in another ten Tenny Peter Jr. of the West Side will clash with Jack Admit of the Bronx.

# COLUMBIA BEATS N. Y. U. FIVE, 23-19

### Takes Lead at Start and Holds It to End—Checks Rivals' Rally in Last Period.

### 1,800 SEE FAST CONTEST

### Mannheim and Laub Tie for High Scoring Honors in Rough Game in 102d Engineers' Armory.

Columbia's basketball team triumphed over its city rivals from New York University in the 102d Engineers Armory by a score of 23 to 19 last night. Starting with a rush the Blue and White forged into a lead and was never headed, although a spurt by N. Y. U. at the very end of the contest threatened to overcome the advantage rolled up by Columbia. The armory held 1,800 cheering supporters for both teams and, although New York University trailed throughout, there was no lack of excitement and enthusiasm as the old enemies battled in a rough game that saw many fouls called, and Donaldson, Columbia substitute, finally ejected from the game because of personal fouls.

Even without the services of Ray Kirchmeyer, who was not in uniform and who was said to have resigned from the squad in order to accept a position, Columbia showed the way from start to finish. There was little brilliant basketball displayed by either team at any time, the passing being generally poor and the shooting, both from the floor and from the foul line, was inaccurate. Mannheim and Laub proved the high scorers of the game, each caging two field goals and three fouls, but Mannheim had seven chances from the foul line and Laub shot nine times from the penalty mark.

The violet clad tossers from New York University had two chances to take the lead at the start of the contest when fouls were called on Columbia, but they failed to make good their opportunities and Baldwin, Columbia forward, started the scoring with a field goal to be followed by foul tosses from Laub and Mannheim, both of which found the mark and sent the Blue and White out in front by a score of 4 to 0. After that the Violet five never caught up. Hawes and Kelley, with three goals, between them from the foul mark, closed the gap but Laub caged another field goal a moment later and sent his team into a substantial lead. Just before the first half came to a close Dockerill looped a long shot from the centre of the floor which swished through the New York University basket without touching the rim, putting the Blue and White out in front, 16 to 10, as the period ended.

Columbia increased its advantage at the start of the second half when Wilson and Laub both made good on their chances from the foul line, and the Blue and White team forged steadily ahead until it had gained an advantage of 23 to 13. Then started the Violet's most desperate and best bid for victory. Werner looped in a field goal and Siegal, a teammate, dropped in two in rapid succession, pulling the score up to 23-19, but the final whistle brought an end to the struggle with Columbia still out in front.

The line-up:

| COLUMBIA (23). | | N. Y. U. (19). |
|---|---|---|
| Baldwin | L.F. | Kelley |
| Laub | R.F. | Hawes |
| Mannheim | C. | Torrey |
| Donaldson | L.G. | Handler |
| Wilson | R.G. | Cohen |

Goals from field—Columbia: Mannheim (2), Laub (2), Baldwin, Wilson, Dockerill, Lorch. N. Y. U.: Siegal (2), Cohen, Kelley, Werner. Foul goals—Columbia: Wilson 3 out of 3, Mannheim 3 out of 9, Laub 3 out of 9. N. Y. U.: Kelley 3 out of 5, Hawes 3 out of 5, Torrey 1 out of 2, Cohen 2 out of 6, Ingram 1 out of 1, Siegal 1 out of 2.

Substitutions — Columbia: Dockerill for Laub, Lorch for Donaldson, Laub for Dockerill, Donaldson for Lorch, Lorch for Donaldson. N. Y. U.: Siegal for Cohen, Cohen for Torrey, Fishstein for Ingram, Hilmbach for Hawes, Werner for Hilmbach, Torrey for Cohen, Hawes for Fishstein.

Referee—David Walsh, Hoboken. Umpire—John J. O'Brien, St. John's. Time of halves—20 minutes.

## HARVARD DEFEATS ALUMNI.

### Easily Captures First Basketball Game of the Season by 41 to 17.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 17.—A promising Harvard basketball team got its first taste of battle tonight when it overwhelmed an alumni quintet, 41 to 17, in an informal game in the Hemenway Gymnasium.

The line-up:

| HARVARD (41). | | ALUMNI (17). |
|---|---|---|
| Jones | L.F. | Gordon |
| Smith | R.F. | Fitts |
| Leekley | C. | Miller |
| Morrison | L.G. | Depeaux |
| Samborski | R.G. | Rudofsky |

Goals from field—Jones (3), Barnett (3), Smith (4), Millard, Leekley (3), Rauh, Samborski. Alumni—Depeaux, Fitts (3), Gordon (3). Goals from foul—Harvard: Jones, Smith (4), Morrison (4). Alumni: Fitts, Gordon (2).

Substitutions—Harvard: Barnett for Jones, Heagney for Barnett, Millard for Smith, Rauh for Leekley, Malick for Morrison, Bourne for Samborski. Alumni: Miller for Fitts.

Referee—D. J. Kelley. Umpire—Carroll F. Getchell.

## LEHIGH QUINTET TRIUMPHS.

### Schaub Brothers Lead Team to Victory Over Seton Hall, 43-29.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Dec. 17.—The Lehigh University basketball team defeated Seton Hall, 43 to 29, here tonight. The Schaub brothers were the stars.

The line-up:

| LEHIGH (43). | | SETON HALL (29). |
|---|---|---|
| Smith | L.F. | Outwater |
| C. Schaub | R.F. | Colrich |
| Bond | C. | Monsel |
| Weinstein | L.G. | Hornak |
| E. Schaub | R.G. | Reynolds |

Goals from field—C. Schaub 7, E. Schaub 5, Weinstein 2, Guhez 2, Smith 2, Outwater 3, Colrich 2, Pricaniski 1, Hornak 1, Reynolds 4. Foul goals—Smith 1, C. Schaub 2, Bond 1, Weinstein 1, Outwater 1, Pricaniski 3, Phelan 1, Hornak 1, Reynolds 3.

Substitutions—Pricaniski for Colrich, Reynolds for Phelan, Ryan for Colrich, Culco for Smith, Smith for Bond, Roberts for E. Schaub.

Referee—Stine, Springfield College. Time of halves—20 minutes.

## LOMBARDO SAILS FOR HOME.

### Panama Boxer, Stopped by Kaplan, Plans Return in Spring.

José Lombardo, Panama featherweight, who was defeated in the semi-final round of the New York State Athletic Commission's championship elimination tournament last week, sailed for his home in Panama yesterday. Before his departure Lombardo stated that it was his intention to take a good rest over the Winter months and that he would return in the Spring prepared to launch another campaign in quest of the featherweight championship.

Lombardo was one of the six boxers named by the commission as eligible to compete in the tournament which is to provide a new featherweight champion, and was successful in the first elimination series when he outpointed Lew Paluso in ten rounds. This qualified him to meet Louis (Kid) Kaplan in the semi-final round, the Meriden boxer knocking him out in four rounds.

## HAMILTON FIVE TRIUMPHS.

### Defeats Hobart by 32 to 28 in Closely Contested Game.

*Special to The New York Times.*

CLINTON, N. Y., Dec. 17.—Hamilton defeated Hobart, 32 to 28, in a fast and closely contested basketball game tonight. The Buff and Blue team held the lead through most of the game, but was hard pressed at times. Trapnell was the outstanding star for Hobart, while the Hamilton men all played consistently.

## *British Amateurs Will Make Debut in Boston Ring Feb. 12*

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—The international amateur boxing tournament, in which teams from Great Britain and Canada will meet an American team, will be held here on Feb. 12, William H. Cuddy, Chairman of the New England A. A. U. Boxing Committee announced today. The bouts will take place in Mechanics Building. They will mark the first appearance of the English team in this country, Chairman Cuddy said, adding that the British boxers will come here directly on their arrival in this country, appearing elsewhere probably after the Boston matches. The American team probably will not be selected until the middle of January, he said.

# NAVY FIVE BEATS LOYOLA BY 32-17

### Wins Third Straight Contest of Season—Craig Is Star, Making 14 Points.

*Special to The New York Times.*

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 17.—The Naval Academy defeated Loyola of Baltimore here this afternoon at basketball, 32 to 17. It was the third game played by the midshipmen this year and the third victory.

Loyola had a fine passing game and a most brilliant dribbler in Menton, but shot poorly in the first half, that session ending 17 to 2 in favor of the midshipmen. Four goals, one a long shot by Helfrich in the first six minutes of the second half, made Loyola look more formidable, however. Craig led Navy's scorers, with five field goals, four of which were made on long tosses. He also scored four goals from foul for a total of 14 points.

The line-up:

| NAVY (32). | | LOYOLA (17). |
|---|---|---|
| Day | R.F. | Twarderica |
| Craig | L.F. | Helfrich |
| Badger | C. | Cummings |
| Graf | R.G. | Lycett |
| Leggett | L.G. | Menton |

Field goals—Navy: Craig (5), Parrish (2), Rhodes (2), Day, Badger. Loyola: Helfrich (5), Menton (4). Foul goals—Navy: Craig (1 in 5, Badger 2 in 3, Parrish 0 in 2, Day 1 in 1, Leggett 0 in 1. Loyola: Menton 1 in 4, Twarderica 0 in 3, Helfrich 0 in 2, Cummings 0 in 1.

Substitutions—Naval Academy: Parrish for Day, Rhodes for Badger, Badger for Rhodes, Jones for Graf, Shapley for Jones, Jones for Shapley, Graf for Jones, Shapley for Leggett. Loyola—Sanitate for Twarderica.

Referee—J. E. Cauliflower, Georgetown. Umpire—Sturdy, St. John's. Time of halves—20 minutes.

## YALE PICKS PLAYERS FOR HOLIDAY TRIPS

### *Ten Basketball and Thirteen Hockey Regulars Named for Vacation Games.*

*Special to The New York Times.*

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 17.—Manager Tibbs of the Yale basketball team tonight announced the ten players who will make the Christmas trip, which will be the first south as Annapolis. Three games will be played, the team meeting the Newark A. C. in Newark Jan. 1, Pennsylvania in Philadelphia Jan. 3 in a regular intercollegiate match, and the Navy in Annapolis Jan. 5. The players selected are Captain Loman, Calmedo and Giblin, guards; Clark and Brady, centres; Sulsman, Simmen and Hall, forwards; reserves, Coleman and Reilly.

It also was announced tonight that thirteen men would go on the Christmas hockey tour to Lake Placid and Plattsburgh. The players include Captain Jenkins and Ives, goal; Sargent and Potts, defense; Ferguson and Noble, centre; Scott, Lindley, Turnbull, Cole, Farrington, Cushing and Frey, forwards. Of these Scott was a football star. Cutler and Eddie Cottle, other football specialties, will be unable to make the trip, as they still are recovering from the effects of the gridiron season.

## GOLDSTEIN IN FINE SHAPE.

### Bantam Champion Within 118 Pound Limit for Bout With Martin.

Abe Goldstein, the champion, and Eddie (Cannonball) Martin, challenger, wound up their heavy training yesterday in preparation for their fifteen-round bantamweight championship battle in Madison Square tomorrow night.

Both fighters reported themselves down to the required weight of 118 pounds and physically fit for the coming test. Each plans to indulge in only light exercise today and remain in seclusion until they appear at the offices of the New York State Athletic Commission tomorrow afternoon for the official weighing-in ceremonies. Each engaged in a final strenuous work-out yesterday, Goldstein at Stillman's gymnasium and Martin at his camp in Summit, N. J.

The other fighters on the card tomorrow night also are reported ready for their battles. Sonny Smith, Brooklyn boxer, and Carl Tremaine of Cleveland will clash in the eight-round semi-final. The six-round bout will be between Bobby Green and Dave Abad, while in the opening four Murray Layton will square off with Romero Vaughn.

## J. LEONARD BOXES TONIGHT.

### Faces Pepper Martin in Bout at the Rink Arena.

A bout that is expected to provide the next opponent for Kid Sullivan, holder of the junior lightweight championship, will be staged tonight in the Rink Arena in Brooklyn when Vincent (Pepper) Martin faces Allentown Johnny Leonard in the featured event of twelve rounds.

Both boys are recognized as being among the foremost contenders for the junior lightweight honors, and it is practically a certainty that the winner will gain for himself a chance at the title.

An attractive set of preliminary bouts also has been arranged by officials of the Brooklyn club to precede the Martin-Leonard battle, in a twelve-round semi-final, Georgie Levine, Brooklyn welterweight, will meet Paddy Ryan, rugged Pittsburgh boxer.

Officials of the club announced yesterday that after tonight future weekly shows would be held at the club on Monday nights, the first show being held next Monday.

## TERRIS TO FACE TEST.

### Will Meet Goodrich in 12-Round Bout at Pioneer Tuesday.

Sid Terris, local lightweight contender, is expected to get a severe test next Tuesday night when he meets with Jimmy Goodrich of Buffalo in the main bout of twelve rounds at the P

# NEW TRACK RECORD IS SET BY RICHELIEU

### Clips 1 4-5 Seconds Off Mile and a Half Mark of 2:35 4-5 at New Orleans.

### MONTGOMERY HAS DOUBLE

### Rides Poppye and Richelieu to Victory—Lucifer Also Is a Winner.

*Special to The New York Times.*

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 17.—W. A. Baumgartner's old gelding Richelieu, by Celt—Network, ran a great race at Jefferson Park this afternoon to establish a new track record for a mile and a half of 2:34. Despite poor handling by Montgomery, the seven-year-old gelding clipped one and four-fifths seconds off the former mark for the distance of 2:35 4-5, established by Gormand on Dec. 26, 1921, with 111 pounds up. The winner was in light under 105 pounds and was held at 6 to 1 in the wagering.

Montgomery managed to take the riding honors of the afternoon, winning the first race with Poppye at 2 to 1. He was twice unplaced. Harvey got one winner, was second twice and third once. Favorites fared poorly, only one coming home in front.

Six went to the post for the mile and a half journey, with A. L. Kirby's gelding Wild Life the 6-to-5 favorite. They were away to a good start, with W. M. Cain's mare Gem showing the early speed. She tired after going a mile and had to be content to take third money.

Richelieu ran up to his best form, it being his second straight victory. Parke held Wild Life under restraint for the first mile, after which the gelding moved up strongly. He suffered some interference when Richelieu bumped into him in the last sixteenth, but the latter was probably the better at the weights, being in receipt of eight pounds; and he gained the decision by the narrow margin of a nose. The fractional times of the race were as follows: 0:25 1-5, 0:50 2-5, 1:15 3-5, 1:41 3-5, 2:08, 2:34.

**Jockeyship Settles Issue.**

Jockeyship settled the issue in the six-furlong dash for three-year-olds and upward, which had the place of honor on the afternoon card. Swanson on T. H. Bernhardt's Dust Flower outrode Chick Lang on P. H. Sims's Monastery to win by half a length in a driving finish. The latter was the 7-to-5 favorite, the winner being at 9 to 2.

A dozen ran in the claiming dash for three-year-olds and upward over the six-furlong route. Montgomery bringing the 4-year-old filly Poppye, owned by M. Shields, first past the winning post by four lengths from Trust Official, which came from far back with an eleventh-hour burst. The winner was the second choice at 2 to 1.

The second choice also carried off the money in the mile dash for the two-year-olds, in which six went to the post. The winner was G. Houbre's Light Brigade gelding Lucifer, a 2-to-1 shot, which won by three lengths. H. P. Whitney's Bankrupt, the 9-to-5 favorite, gave a dull performance, attempting to run out on the turns and quitting in the stretch, to finish a poor third.

The Idle Hour Stock Farm's three-year-old colt President, by McKinley-Fribble, with Dave Hurn up, was an easy victor in the six-furlong dash for maidens of all ages, being four lengths in front of Rodeo at the finish.

**Huey Scores for First Time.**

A. E. Barrett's Huey got into the money for the first time during the meeting when he won the mile dash for two-year-olds in a field of eight, beating Mrs. F. P. Letellier's Parole II. by a neck in a hot finish.

Al Hall gained an easy victory for Mrs. A. Swenke in the gallop of a mile and a sixteenth, beating W. H. Hall's Bench Manager by four lengths at the finish. The winner, with Harvey up, packed top weight of 113 pounds and ran at the head of the field of six all through the journey. He was the second choice at 16 to 5.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Poppye, 107 pounds (Montgomery), 2 to 1, 1 to 10, 1 to 5, first; Trust Official, 106 (Harvey), 10 to 1, 5 to 1, second; Dick's Daughter, 103 (McTague), 5 to 1, third. Time—1:14. Mary Maxim, Peter Piper, Quanah, Permanent, Teddy Tears, Miss Nunne Pine, Henry M. Dietz, Attractive and Molinero also ran.

SECOND RACE—For two-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; one mile. Lucifer, 109 pounds (McDermott), 2 to 1, 7 to 10, 1 to 4, first; Transformer, 109 (Mein), 2 to 1, 1 to 5, second; Bankrupt, 109 (Parke), 1 to 4, third. Time—1:40 1-5. Goodwill, Hubb and Padd and Traryse also ran.

THIRD RACE—For all ages; maidens; allowances; purse $700; six furlongs. President, 118 pounds (Hirn), 6 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, first; Rodeo, 108 (Harvey), 3 to 1, 6 to 5, second; Alexander Moore, 105 (D. Jones), 2 to 1, third. Time—1:13. Firmament, Storm Cloud, Marceline, Fleetwood, Ticker, Tea Tray and Buck Jones also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For two-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; one mile. Huey, 104 pounds (Zucchini), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, first; Parole II., 104 (McTague), 8 to 5, 1 to 5, second; Bad Luck, 98 (Harvey), 1 to 3, third. Time—1:40 1-5. Doc McMahon, Try Again, Neat Girl, Nut and Jubal Early also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Dust Flower, 112 pounds (Swanson), 9 to 2, 3 to 5, 1 to 3, first; Monastery, 111 (C. Lang), 2 to 5, 1 to 5, second; Tender Seth, 106 (Shanks), 3 to 1, third. Time—1:13 4-5. Brother John, Chemiserie, Despard, Elusive and Rock Bottom also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and one-sixteenth. Richelieu, 105 pounds (Montgomery), 6 to 1, 3 to 1, even, first; Wild Life, 113 (Parke), 1 to 2, 1 to 5, second; Gem, 99 (Garrity), 2 to 5, third. Time—2:34 (new track record). Little Ammie, Conundrum and Owasco also ran.

Weather clear; track fast.

### NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $700; claiming; two-year-old maidens; five and a half furlongs. Tragdale 117 pounds, Valentino 106, *Cup of Tea 105, *Winsome Lady 105, Shanghai 112, Bee Bee Flower 107, Lucky 105, *Helen G. 100, Silent Lillian 110, La Belle 105, *Whakeena 104, *Clay Iris 100. Also eligible: Dean H. 108, *Duplex 110, *Hirwaile Smile 105, Head Line 113, *Norah Hayes 105, Charinat 108.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Sea Cove 111 pounds, Double T 106, *Korbly 106, *Waywassamo 106, Admirer 111, *Doctor Glenn 106, *Boot Black 106, *Last One 106, War Idol 111, *Stump Jr. 106, *Sea Wolf 106, *Maud Harvey 103. Also eligible: *Khisman 110, Wild Goose 108, Elemental 110, *Proceeds 106, *Rachel Potter 100, Scarlet Bugler 113.

THIRD RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; mile and a sixteenth. *Fizzy Mae 108 pounds, Telescope 108, Search Light 3d 108, *Smarty 107, *Whirling Dan 102, *San Pedron 103, *Royal Charlie 107, *Corson 105, *Martha Moore 100, *Artie Boy 96 103, *Slanderer 103, *Warren Lynch 99. Also eligible: *Gladys V. 96, Zanzibar 103, Boonesville 108, Prima Donna 109, Promising Tom 108, *Carry On 104.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $700; Sunset Claiming Handicap; all ages; five and a half furlongs. Dr. Hickman 120 pounds, The Last Ark 118, Sympathia, Barbara Palmer 98, Centimeter 120, Appellate 112, Queer 102, Leatherwood 114, Sandy Hatch 108, Pete the Scribe 102.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $1,400; allowances; the Tulane; two-year-olds; six furlongs. Pedagogue 116 pounds, Slice 110, Elector 113, Talequa 105, Benedict, Vow 110.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; allowances; the Chalmette; three-year-olds and upward; mile and seventy yards. Prince Th Th 110 pounds, The Roll Call 106, Boy o' Boy 106, Mods 106, Frank Gallor 103, Edward Gray 106, Miss Melee 106.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; mile and an eighth. *Rupee 118 pounds, Mayor Carrel 113, Court 111, *Stormalong 108, *Good Night 115, *Margaret Ware 112, *Escarpolette 109, Huonee 114, *Stonewall 111, *Casaleon 104.

Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track fast.

## Borotra, Cochet and Lacoste Again Rank as No. 1 Players

PARIS, Dec. 17 (Associated Press).—Jean Borotra, Henri Cochet and René Lacoste again are officially placed together as the ranking No. 1 tennis players of France. The French Tennis Federation, as was the case last year, felt itself unable to make a choice among them for the No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3 positions. They point out that Lacoste, despite winning from Gerald Patterson and O'Hara Wood in the Davis Cup matches, cannot be ranked higher than Borotra, who besides his fine work at Wimbledon defeated Lacoste twice. Also that Cochet, who won from both Lacoste and Borotra during 1924, could not be ranked lower than either of them, especially as he was a finalist in the Olympic competition. Jean Couiteas, Paul Feret, Louis Aslangul, François Blanchy, Jacques Brugnon, Marcel Cousin and Jean Samazeuilh are next in order. Alain Berbault of transatlantic cruising fame is sixteenth.

# NIMROD IS VICTOR AT ORIENTAL PARK

### Wins Fourth Straight Race, Beating Sun Brae After Fall at the Post.

HAVANA, Dec. 17.—Nimrod, with Neal in the saddle, scored his fourth successive victory today at Oriental Park when he beat seven others in the fourth race at six furlongs. Nimrod came near being out of the race before it started. When the field lined up at the post the Stanton horse suddenly bolted and dashed for the outside fence, striking the rail and tumbling over. It at first was feared that both horse and rider were hurt, but both escaped any injury.

The start was none too good for Nimrod, but before he had gone a sixteenth he was out in front setting the pace. He was closely pressed by Sun Brae with Mill Boy trailing in third place. In the stretch Nimrod held on gamely to his lead and won by a length. Mill Boy weakened after challenging Sun Brae and just managed to hang on to take the short end of the purse.

Rough and Ready was the winner in the mile-and-fifty-yard handicape, in which a field of six went to the post. Parvenu set the pace, drawing away to a good lead. However, at the stretch Rough and Ready came with a rush and wore down the leader, which saved in in the stretch run. Parvenu finished second, but was barely able to hold off Tippo Sahib. Kufiya made an early bid but was bumped by Parvenu in a jam near the rail and was knocked off his stride and never had a chance again.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—Purse $800; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Col. Pat, 110 pounds (Elston), 3 to 2, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, first; Old Sinner, 107 (Powers) 3 to 1, 7 to 5, second; Jack Pot, 107 (Noe), 7 to 5, third. Time—1:07 4-5. Joe Campbell, Cacambo, Helen Gardner, San Dieco, Pony Express, Chappara, Gonwithim, Needy and Crestwood Boy also ran.

SECOND RACE—Purse $800; two-year-olds; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Starmatia, 110 pounds (Yerratt), 6 to 5, 1 to 3, 1 to 6, first; Bob's Hope, 93 (Charles), 1 to 2, 1 to 4, second; Ruby Marsh 110, (Banks), 8 to 5, third. Time—1:07. Pink Tea, Belle Fay, Gold Ball, Herbier and Rock of Ages also ran.

THIRD RACE—Purse $800; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; three quarters of a mile. Goldmark, 107 pounds (Noe), 5 to 2, 7 to 10, 1 to 2, first; Marble, 105 (Powers), even, 1 to 2, second; Brush All, 104 (Taulelle), 1 to 4, third. Time—1:13. Gold Leaf, Conceal, British Liner, The Gaff, and Biddiedee also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $800; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; three quarters of a mile. Nimrod, 110 pounds (Neal), even, 1 to 3, 1 to 6, first; Sun Brae, 110 (Eames), 3 to 1, 8 to 5, second; Mill Boy, 102 (Elston), 1 to 2, third. Time—1:18 2-5. Plentycoos, Pincastle, Our Option, Gay Boy II., and True American also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $900; handicap; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and fifty yards. Rough and Ready, 107 pounds (Smith), 8 to 5, 2 to 5, 1 to 5, first; Parvenu, 101 (Noe), 3 to 5, 1 to 4, second; Tippo Sahib, 106 (Neal), 4 to 5, third. Time—1:43. Randel, Kufiya and Daughter Dear also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; one mile and a sixteenth. Conscript, 104 pounds (Allen), 2 to 1, 7 to 10, 1 to 5, first; Witch Flower, 113 (McCabe), 7 to 10, 1 to 5, second; Feigned Zeal, 106 (Banks), 8 to 5, third. Time—1:48. Reliability, Bodansky, Capt. Adams and Eelman also ran.

Weather clear; track fast.

### HAVANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; five and one-half furlongs. Vineyard 108 pounds, Lochleven 110, *Drapery 108, Summer Moon 105, Joe Campbell 113, *Kenmare 105, *Little Smile 112, *Theesaly 105, *Keaolani 103, *Quiet 108, Stacy Adams 113, *Texas Chief 108, Hutchinson 113.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; five and one-half furlongs. Bashful 110 pounds, Silver Springs 113, *Chandelier 108, St. Keven 112, Bill Block 113, Four o' Five 108, *Winchester 108, *Hazel Dale 105, *Elwood K. 103, *Pollow Me 103, Oran 112, Virginia Goodwin 105, Royaline 105.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; five and one-half furlongs. *Crescent 100 pounds, *Countess Claridge 107, *War Garden 108, *Primus 108, *Keineth 108, *Old Homestead 108, Clinging Vine 105, Shine On 105, *Radiant Light 103, Black Mask 108, *Glitter Gold 103, *Ponce 103, Pilades 108.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; five and one-half furlongs. Spods 105 pounds, *Ann M. 92, *Somerby 102, Billy Gardner 108, Miss Beulah 101, *Hitillo 97, *Havana Electric 107, Castilla 97, *Kidnap 92, *Bigwig 93.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $800; all ages; allowances; six furlongs. Protectress 101 pounds, Muskallonge 108, Danger Cross 93, Spartina 108, Claymore 110, Little Smoke 108.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and seventy yards. *Brass Band 107 pounds, Daddy Wolf 112, *Czardom 107, *Biddiedee 104, *Ferrum 107, *Miss Miami 104, *Full Again 104, Delimar 112.

*Five pounds apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track fast.

### TIJUANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—For maiden two-year-olds; claiming; purse $600; five and one-half furlongs. Pirouette 106 pounds, Rumpride 100, Wee Girl 100, Lampo 112, Freemason 104, Sea Queen 113, Imlay 113.

SECOND RACE—For maiden two-year-olds; claiming; purse $600; five and one-half furlongs. Wiltrude Wood 108 pounds, Allsie 104, Miss Lane 104, Delhi Girl 104, Rebecca C. 105, Miss Omond 105, Orlando Krips 105.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; five and one-half furlongs. Arctic King 107 pounds, Malsavana 107, Little Less 102, Jack Ledl 102, Due de Guise 102, Randolph 102, Argonne Forest 107, Little Pointer 102, Car 97, Meteor 107, Rubivarl 112.

FOURTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; five and one-half furlongs. Nan McKinney 112 pounds, Kirkwood 107, Runleigh 107, Dr. Johnson 107, Pawnbroker 107, Dr. Hall 107, Honest George 102, Margaret Eleonora 107, Harry Maxim 105, Grey Rump 97.

FIFTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; one mile. The Lamb 108 pounds, Hackamore 108, Mary J. Baker 108, Malvern 103, Romulus 108, Poacher 108, Billy Gibson 105, Mallowmot 103, Horeb 103, Spirea 98.

SIXTH RACE—For all ages; handicap; purse $1,000; five and one-half furlongs. Sunspero 112 pounds, My Revele 110, Gen. Thatcher 110, Clarence 100, †Runolaths 94, False Face 94, †Rundark 95, Spread Eagle 98, Bon Homme 112. †Irwin entry.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800; six furlongs. Bullet Proof 118 pounds, Noon Glide 113, Mary Contrary 107, Stamp 115, Nizam 110, Mart Bunch 113, Ruddy 119, Super King 112, Mamilla 94 113, Raffles 118, Pontual 107, Mathee Idol 118, Al Hotfoot 107.

EIGHTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800; one mile and seventy yards. Little Clair 108 pounds, The Falconer 109, Halu 111, Ebb Tide 111, Krishna 111, Anne 106, My Daddy 113, Doubtful 114, Gunsight 105, Sasper 108.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather cloudy; track heavy.

# FORDHAM ELEVEN TO PLAY IN OHIO

### Game With Akron on Oct. 24 Is One of Eight Listed for Next Season.

### DINNER FOR TEAM TONIGHT

### Letters and Gold Footballs Will Be Awarded to Eighteen Regulars —Frisch Will Attend.

The Fordham football team will play eight games next season, according to the schedule given out yesterday. Providence, Gallaudet, Manhattan, University of Akron, New York University, Holy Cross, C. C. N. Y. and Georgetown will be seen in action against the Maroon in the order named. All the games but one, that with the University of Akron at Akron, Ohio, will be staged in New York. Two of these games will be played at the Polo Grounds; Holy Cross and Georgetown and N. Y. U. will be met at the home of the Yankees. For the first time in years Boston College and Fordham will not meet next season, as a suitable date could not be arranged.

The game with Akron, Oct. 24, will be the first intersectional contest that the Maroon has played since Frank Gargan took charge of athletics at the Bronx university. Four members of the Fordham team are from Akron, Graham, Stanford and the Bissell twins, and the game is expected to be a great attraction in their home city. Graham has been acclaimed as one of the leading quarterbacks in the East and he should draw no small attention when he plays on his home grounds.

As it was felt that Columbus Day would be rather an early date for the Maroon to meet Boston College a later game was sought. All the late season games were arranged at the Hub college, and it was deemed wise to omit the contest this year and to play a late October or early November game in 1926. The Fordham game has always been a big one at Boston, but officials at Fordham decided that it was injurious to the team to meet an eleven of Boston College's calibre so early in the season.

The season will open on Oct. 3 with Providence College, and Gallaudet and Manhattan will follow on successive Saturdays, all three of which will be played on Fordham Field. N. Y. U. will be met at the Yankee Stadium the Saturday after the game with Akron, and Holy Cross will be seen at the Polo Grounds on Nov. 7. The annual game with Hal Parker's City College team will be staged at Fordham Field. Georgetown will again close the season at the Polo Grounds. The game will be on Nov. 28.

Members of this year's team will attend a dinner tonight at the Hotel Biltmore at which Varsity F's will be awarded to eighteen players. Gold football balls will be given to the lettermen and silver ones to those who failed to participate in the required number of periods. Frank Frisch of the New York Giants will be among those present and will assist the Rev. William Duane, awarding the letters.

The 1925 schedule follows:

Oct. 3, Providence at Fordham; 10, Gallaudet at Fordham; 17, Manhattan at Fordham; 24, University of Akron at Akron, Ohio; 31, New York University at Yankee Stadium.

Nov. 7, Holy Cross at Polo Grounds; 14, City College at Fordham; 21, Georgetown at Polo Grounds.

# COLGATE HONORS PLAYERS.

### Awards Letters to 17 Football Men and Team Manager.

*Special to The New York Times.*

HAMILTON, N. Y., Dec. 17.—Eighteen sweaters, each bearing the coveted block "C" of Colgate, were awarded to seventeen Maroon gridiron warriors and Student Manager Harold Scott of Cranberry, N. J., at a meeting of the Students' Association held during the chapel period this morning. Nine seniors were among those honored by the student body.

The following players received the sweaters:

Captain Crowther, Rosemont, Pa.; Eddie Tryon, Southwick, Mass.; Rae Crowther, Rosemont, Pa.; G. D. Hynes, Chatham, N. Y.; C. A. Knight, Pennsville, N. Y.; W. L. Morgan, Kenwood, N. Y.; T. T. Stratton, Par Hills, N. Y.; L. N. Beuhsl, Buffalo, N. Y.; J. S. Bray, Scranton, Pa.; John Dagrossa, Atlantic City, N. J.; I. B. Levenson, New York; C. B. Reybold, Syracuse, N. Y.; C. W. Strack, Spring Valley, N. Y.; Joe Davidson, Ovid, Mich.; E. H. Helwig, Rutherford, N. J.; N. R. Mehler, Sharpsville, Pa., and W. C. Schmidt, Belle Vernon, Pa.

# COACH ROCKNE IS ILL.

### Notre Dame Mentor Confined to His Home With Severe Cold.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 17.—Knute Rockne, Notre Dame football coach, was confined to his home today with a severe cold and it was doubtful whether he would be able Friday to supervise the team's workouts in preparation for the New Year's day game with Stanford University. He expects to announce the personnel of the squad for the Western trip on Friday.

# KEARNEY TO LEAD CORNELL.

### Star Tackle for Last 2 Seasons Is Chosen 1925 Football Captain.

ITHACA, N. Y., Dec. 17.—Francis Kearney Jr. of Maplewood, N. J., tackle for the last two seasons on the Cornell varsity football team, today was elected captain for 1925. He played on his freshman team and won a berth on last year's varsity team, which went through the season undefeated.

### TIJUANA RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $600; six furlongs. Bobby Allen, 105 pounds (Molyers), $31, $13.80, $10.60, first; Bowaprint, 101 (Kingsland), $9.80, $8.80, second; Preservator, 112 (Francesco), $3.70, third. Time—1:16. Ruby, Mildred Ruth, Billy Gibson, Mad Nell, Coombs, Jay Mac, Amackassin, Holster and Poacher also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $600; six furlongs. Keala, 112 pounds (Creary), $13, $5.20, $3.80, first; Golden Rod, 107 (Hooper), $3, $2.40, second; Fredricks, 106 (Fredericks), $2.60, third. Time—1:15 2-5. No Wonder, Bantam, Norford Honey, Star Cloudy, Cadmus and Humma also ran.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $600; one mile and one-sixteenth. Canure, 105 pounds (Fisher), $6.20, $4.60, $4.40, first; Romulus, 112 (Roberts), $19.60, $12.20, second; Nisam, 105 (Edwards), $9.80, third. Time—1:51 1-5. Poor Puss, Tersida, Horeb, Mayor House and War Winner also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward claiming; purse, $700; five and one-half furlongs. Nan McKinney, 120 pounds (Germley), $5.40, $4, $3, first; Margaret Elnora, 120 (Fisher), $7.80, $5.60, second; Scottish Lad, 119 (Francesco), $5.30, third. Time—1:08 3-5. Briar Sweet, Pawnbroker, Jolly Cephas, Lamstedt, Just Right, Voogeria, Margaret White and Fayette Girl also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For all ages; claiming; purse $850; five and one-half furlongs. Runolathe, 107 pounds (Edwards), $8.40, $4.80, $2.80, first; Doubtful, 115 (Germley), $25.20, $8.40, second; Fort Churchill, 112 (Francesco), $2.40, third. Time—1:07 2-5. Body Guard, Bolivar Bond, Gunsight, Moon Child, Al Hotfoot and Nebraska Lad also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For two-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; five furlongs. Flitterbelle, 104 pounds (Roberts), $19.00, $4.40, $2.80, first; Ann Grogan, 100 (Monahan), $2.80, $2.20, second; Sigsag, 108 (McCue), $2.60, third. Time—1:02. Timely Thoughts, Cocksure, Rumpride, Mt. Shasta, Lampo and Al Herbert also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and one-eighth. Wedding Prince, 108 pounds (Baker) $4.20, $2.60, $2.60, first; Tingling, 107 (Germley), $6.20, $4.00, second; Full 'o Fun, 101 (Collins), $3.60, third. Time—1:57 1-5. Wynnewood, Madam Venate and Willow Tree also ran.

Weather cloudy; track heavy.

# HARVARD BREAKS CLASS A SQUASH TIE

### Stands Alone at Top as Result of Beating Yale, 5-2—Van Hyde and Rand Win.

### COLUMBIA DROPS IN RACE

### Montclair A. C. Gains Clear Hold of Fourth Place, 4-3, Through Junkins's Victory Over Reuter.

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS.**

| | Won. | Lost. | | Won. | Lost. |
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| Harvard | 5 | | Montclair A. C. | 2 | 3 |
| Yale | 4 | | Columbia | 1 | 4 |
| Princeton | 3 | | Crescent A. C. | 0 | 5 |

The Harvard Club stands alone at the head of the Metropolitan Class A Squash League as the result of its victory yesterday over the Yale Club representatives, who previously had shared the uppermost position in the standing of the clubs. On the Harvard Club courts the Crimson players conquered their Blue rivals by a score of five matches to two and continued their string of victories, which has now reached five, without an interruption. It was the first defeat suffered by the Yale Club players this season, but the Blue had little chance against the strong line-up presented by the Harvard Club.

The Columbia Club sank further in the race, as the Montclair Athletic Club won a 4-3 victory and pulled away to gain sole possession of fourth place at the top of the second division. Columbia was aided by the default of H. F. Wolf, at the top of the line-up, but despite this victory conceded to its opponents, Montclair was able to win enough matches to gain the victory.

F. Van S. Hyde of the Harvard Club, national champion, met his old rival, Thomas R. Coward, as No. 1 man in the Yale line-up, but Van Hyde reversed the result of the final in the Princeton Club invitation tournament a short time ago, when Coward was the winner over the titleholder. Yesterday Hyde was forced all the way by the Blue star, but he managed to win in straight games by the scores of 15—12 and 15—14. Coward fought persistently and at times threatened to repeat his victory over the national champion, but when the deciding points were reached Hyde always seemed to be able to call upon reserve power and pull through.

The meeting between the Harvard and Yale clubs also saw the defeat of H. A. Cordier, a wearer of the Blue and a former national champion, who fell before the terrific stroking of William Rand Jr. Cordier dropped the first game of the match at 11-15, but he managed to pull out the second after a bitter struggle that was decided at 18-15. However, Rand proved himself still master of the situation by keeping up the same strenuous pace in the third and deciding chapter, which he won at 15-11.

The only victories scored by the Yale Club were accounted for by H. S. Thorne, who defeated Murray Taylor in straight games, and by Clyde Martin, who conquered Maurice Phinney after a hard struggle. However, these victories did not come until after the Crimson had clinched its hold on first place in the league.

Columbia got off to a good start against the Montclair representatives, when after Haines had gained a point by default, Kidde managed to defeat E. E. Hughes. H. V. Crawford, however, won a three-game victory in his match with Kunhardt and B. H. O'Connor evened the score when he defeated W. H. Putnam with the loss of only two points in the two games he required. C. W. Dingee sent the Montclair team ahead at three points to two by defeating W. M. Lee.

When J. F. Kennedy, representing the Blue and White, defeated R. B. Luchard everything depended on the last match. In that final encounter F. A. Junkins of the Montclair A. C. had things all his own way against R. H. Reuter, and he pulled the New Jersey team through in straight games.

The summaries:

**Harvard Club 5, Yale Club 2.**

F. Van S. Hyde, Harvard Club, defeated Thomas R. Coward, Yale Club, 15—12, 15—13; Howitt Morgan, Harvard Club, defeated Otis L. Guernsey, Yale Club, 10—15, 15—6, 18—14; William Rand Jr., Harvard Club, defeated H. A. Cordier, Yale Club, 15—11, 17—18, 15—11; Clyde Martin, Harvard Club, defeated Maurice Phinney, Harvard Club, 18—15, 11—15, 15—10; G. M. Rushmore, Harvard Club, defeated S. Bradford, Yale Club, 15—2, 15—7.

**Montclair A. C. 4, Columbia Club 3.**

R. B. Haines, Columbia Club, won from H. F. Wolf, Montclair A. C., by default; F. S. Kidde, Columbia Club, defeated R. E. Hughes, Montclair A. C., 15—12, 15—12; H. V. Crawford, Montclair A. C., defeated K. Kunhardt, Columbia Club, 15—9, 12—15, 18—15; B. H. O'Connor, Montclair A. C., defeated W. H. Putnam, Columbia Club, 15—7, 15—2; C. W. Dingee, Montclair A. C., defeated William M. Lee, Columbia Club, 11—15, 15—11, 15—11; J. D. Kennedy, Columbia Club, defeated R. B. Luchard, Montclair A. C., 15—8, 15—12; F. A. Junkins, Montclair A. C., defeated R. H. Reuter, Columbia Club, 15—9, 15—8.

# 9 GAMES FOR GEORGETOWN.

### One Football Date Still Open, Little Announces.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 17. — Lou Little, athletic director of Georgetown University, announced here today the 1925 schedule of nine games, with one open date, for the Georgetown football team.

The schedule follows:

Sept. 26, open.

Oct. 3, Mount St. Mary's at Washington; 10, Lebanon Valley at Washington; 17, University of Detroit at Detroit; 24, Bucknell at Washington; 31, Kings College at Washington.

Nov. 7, Lehigh at Washington; 14, Centre at Washington; 21, Fordham at New York; 26, Marines at Washington.

# BUCKNELL LISTS DATES.

### Holy Cross Among Four New Teams on Football Schedule.

LEWISBURG, Pa., Dec. 17.—Holy Cross, the University of Detroit, University of Dayton and the Haskell Indians are newcomers on the 1925 football schedule for Bucknell University announced tonight by Graduate Manager McCormick.

The schedule:

Sept. 26, Western Maryland at home.

Oct. 3, St. Bonaventure at home; 10, open; 17, Haskell Indians at home; 24, Georgetown at Washington; 31, Holy Cross at Worcester.

Nov. 7, Gallaudet at home; 14, Navy at Annapolis; 21, Dickinson at home; 26, University of Detroit at Detroit; 28, University of Dayton at Dayton, Ohio.

**Boston C. Lists W. Va. Wesleyan.**

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—West Virginia Wesleyan, conquerors of Syracuse and of the Navy on the gridiron this season, will meet Boston College on Braves Field, Nov. 14, 1925, it was announced today. Boston College also meets West Virginia University here on Nov. 7.

**Boston College Six to Meet McGill.**

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—With its future uncertain owing to a lack of scheduled games, the Boston College hockey team today was signed up to meet McGill University on Jan. 1, and Toronto University on Dec. 27 and Jan. 3. The games will be played at the Boston Arena.

**Chicago School Meet on June 5-6.**

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—The University of Chicago's twenty-first national interscholastic track and field meet will be held here June 5 and 6.

**Boss to Lead Penn Soccer Team.**

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 17.—Hans Boss of New York City today was elected captain of the championship University of Pennsylvania soccer team. He is a junior in the Wharton School of Finance.

## English Auto Driver Breaks Own World Record in France

PARIS, Dec. 17.—The English automobile driver, Capt. Eldridge, driving a 300-h.p. machine, today broke his own world's record for five kilometers (3.11 miles), by covering the distance in 1 minute, 27 2-10 seconds on the Montlhery track near here. He was officially timed. His previous record was 1 minute, 29 2-5 seconds.

# HELFFRICH TO RUN IN FINNISH GAMES

### Penn State Star Will Compete in 500-Meter Event in the Garden on Jan. 6.

Alan Helffrich, star Penn State middle distance runner and intercollegiate champion, yesterday filed his entry to compete in the Finnish-American A. C. games in Madison Square Garden Jan. 6, according to an announcement by Hugo Quist, Chairman of the committee in charge of the games. Helffrich will be a starter in the special 500-meter race, which will be one of the featured events of the meet.

Helffrich's entry completes the field of eight star runners who will toe the mark in this event, which, it is expected, will witness a world's record-breaking performance. The present record for the distance is 1 minute 3 2-5 seconds, made by Tom Campbell in Chicago in 1922, and as all but two of the eight who will go to the post in the Finnish games have won national or intercollegiate titles it is considered almost certain that a new mark will be established.

Those who will start in addition to Helffrich are James Burgess, national quarter-mile champion; Vernon Ascher, the national junior quarter-mile titleholder of 1923; G. T. Stevenson of the Illinois A. C., who ran second to Burgess in the 1924 championship 440-yard event; Vincent Lally, metropolitan 600-yard champion; Ray Watson, Illinois A. C. star and former national half-mile champion; Jack Driscoll, former national and intercollegiate 440-yard champion, and Francis Daley of Boston College, whom Coach Joe Ryder considers one of the most promising quarter-milers he has developed in years.

# BOSTON A. A. MEET JAN. 31.

### Entry Blanks Out for Indoor Event —Hunter Mile a Feature.

Entry blanks were received here yesterday for the thirty-sixth annual indoor invitation handicap track meet of the Boston Athletic Association, which will be held on Jan. 31 in the Boston Arena. Special scratch events will feature the program, together with a series of interclub and intercollege team races. Practically all of the star athletes in the East and Middle West are expected to compete.

Among the outstanding events again will be the Hunter Mile, which in the past ten years has produced many stirring races. The other special events will be a three-mile run for the G. B. Williams trophy, 40-yard dash for the F. H. Briggs trophy, the 600-yard run for the A. Paul Keith Memorial Cup and a 45-yard high hurdle race. The handicap events will include a one mile run, 1,000-yard run, running high jump, pole vault and 3,000-meter walk.

The following clubs and colleges have been invited: New York A. C., Milrose A. C., Boston A. A., Newark A. C., Meadowbrook Club, Harvard, Cornell, Dartmouth, Yale, Princeton, Pennsylvania, Georgetown, Syracuse, Colby, Amherst, Maine, Mass. Tech, Vermont, New Hampshire, Worcester Poly, Colby, Williams, Bates, Bowdoin, Brown, Boston College, Rhode Island State, Tufts, Mass. Aggies, Holy Cross, Boston University, Andover and Exeter.

# AUTO RACE PROMOTER SAILS

### Myers Will Seek Entries for Indianapolis Classic.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 17.—C. E. Myers, general manager of the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, sailed today from New York to Europe to obtain entries for the thirteenth annual 500-mile automobile race to be held here May 30, it was announced at the speedway offices.

Myers expects to confer with the automobile racing drivers of England, France, Belgium, Italy and Germany.

**Lafayette Elects Whittlesey.**

*Special to The New York Times.*

EASTON, Pa., Dec. 17.—Albert Whittlesey of Germantown, Pa., was elected captain of the 1925 Lafayette College soccer team today. Whittlesey has played outside left for two years. He is a member of the junior class.

**Chicago Gets Title Skating Meet.**

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—The Western outdoor skating championship will be held in the Grant Park Stadium here, Feb. 7, according to Frank M. Kalteux, President of the Western Skating Association.

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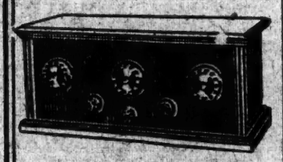

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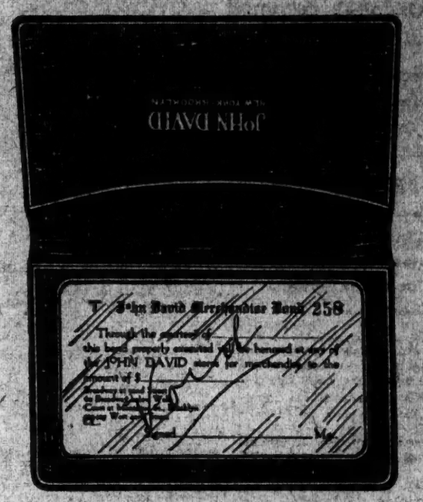


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# HAMMER TO MAKE DEBUT IN CLASS A

## Will Play Edgar Appleby in Met. Challenge Cup 18.2 Tourney on Monday.

## REFEREE PLAN DISCUSSED

### Official Statement on European System Is Expected Today—Other Billiard News.

Herbert H. Hammer of Brooklyn, the youthful balkline star who recently qualified for competition in amateur Class A billiards by compiling a grand average of twelve in winning the Interstate Class B 18.2 balkline title, will make his Class A debut on Monday night when he meets Edgar T. Appleby, holder of the international, national and Eastern Class A 18.2 balkline titles, in the first match for the Metropolitan Challenge Cup at the Newark Athletic Club. This match will be at 300 points and will be under the direction of the National Association of Amateur Billiard players, which also announced Hammer's promotion to Class A yesterday.

Edgar Appleby scored three legs on the old Metropolitan Challenge Cup, which was won outright a year ago by Edward W. Gardner, who during his years of competition at the Lotos Club, Liederkranz Club, Amateur Billiard Club and Crescent Athletic Club, accounted for five victories. Appleby is rated the strongest amateur player in the United States, and it will be a severe test for Hammer, who is just a few months past his eighteenth birthday.

Hammer's best performance was given against Francis S. Appleby, former Eastern 18.2 champion and present holder of the National 18.1 title, when he won a handicap match, at odds of 300 to 200, by 300 to 207 at the Liederkranz Club. Hammer in an average of 13 5-15 and a high run of 52. In one of the Interstate Class B matches, Hammer had an average of 20 and a high run of 96.

While no definite announcement has been made it now is virtually certain that Hammer will be among the entrants in the next national Class A tournament. The Appleby brothers, John A. Clinton of Pittsburgh, Percy Collins of Chicago and Gardner have been the leaders for the past three years and the appearance of Hammer is certain to increase interest in the next championship tournament.

Action on the plant to have two referees officiate at the next international balkline tournament doubtless will be taken shortly. it was learned here yesterday, E. C. Bensinger, President of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company, sponsors of the title tournament, will be here today for a brief visit, and during his stay he doubtless will issue a statement. There is much interest in the proposed plan, which has been shown both by the players and the managers. It is believed among billiard men that Charles C. Peterson of St. Louis, one of the best billiard officials in the country, would support the new system. In the past he has been outspoken in favor of it. With two men of the type of Albert G. Cutler of New York and Peterson acting as referee at a world's title tournament, it surely would add interest to the classic.

Willie Hoppe has won his last two matches at three-cushions, according to figures on the two matches sent by him to Harry Hyatt at the Hoppe Billiard Academy yesterday. Hoppe triumphed over Chase-Sibley, Northwest three-cushion champion, in a six-block match in Seattle last week by the score of 300 to 232. Hoppe also disposed of Wakefield, Cleveland representative in the National Championship Three Cushion League, by 200 to 146 in Cleveland, in a match which ended Tuesday night. Hoppe won all but four thirty-point blocks from Wakefield. Hoppe will return to New York Sunday and then will turn his attention to the three-cushion match with Bob Cannefax, the world's champion.

Alfred De Oro, former world's pocket billiard and three-cushion champion, yesterday signed to meet James Maturo in a special pocket billiard match at the opening of the new billiard academy of Louis Krueter at Forty-ninth Street and Broadway next week. The dates have not been set but they most likely will be Dec. 26 and 27.

Erich Hagenlacher, German 18.2 balkline champion, and K. Suzuki, professional champion of Japan, will resume play in their handicap match at the Fourteenth Street Academy this afternoon. Hagenlacher is playing for 400 points to 300 for Suzuki in each block. They broke even in the first four blocks at the Recreation Academy in Brooklyn, which ended on Tuesday night. They will play four blocks at the Fourteenth Street Academy under the same conditions.

## NATALIE TAKES SERIES.

### Beats Harmon Twice and Captures Five of Six Games Here.

Pasquale Natalie of Baltimore completed his series of six matches against Charles Harmon, New York representative, in the National Championship Pocket Billiard League, with a victory at Lawler Brothers' New York Academy last night, after having won the afternoon block. Natalie won five of the six matches.

In the afternoon Natalie won by a score of 100 to 86 in thirty-one innings. The Baltimore player had a high run of 39 and his opponent's best performance was 24. However, it was during the night session that Natalie played the best billiards. Harmon took A lead of 77 to 11 but Natalie made a run of 42. He played them safe for a few innings and then added 16 more to his string. Again he played safe, leaving Harmon few opportunities to score. In the sixteenth inning, Natalie ran out the table and, with an unfinished string of 31, completed his triumph. In the meantime Harmon had been able to add only 5 to his score and the final count was 100 to 86.

## OTHER BILLIARD RESULTS.

H. Hirsch won the three-cushion billiard tournament which has been in progress at Doyle's Billiard Academy for the last two months when he defeated P. Hughes in the final game last night by a score of 35 to 33. Hirsch's high run was 3, while his opponent, had one of 6.

In the snooker tournament at the same academy John Hampton scored another victory when he defeated Mack Levy by the score of 100 to 55. The winner's best string was 13, while Levy had a high run mark of 15.

J. M. Lewis advanced in the Autumn handicap 18.2 balkline tournament at Daly's Billiard Academy last night by defeating J. Housch, 300 to 80. Lewis made a run of 58, while Housch's best run was 14.

Eric Hagenlacher, 18.2 billiard champion of Germany, last night defeated Philip H. Meise in an exhibition match at the Fourteenth Street Billiard Academy, 400 to 51. Hagenlacher was in fine form and ran out his string in seven innings, having one run of 129 and another of 108.

Later in the evening Hagenlacher won another victory in an exhibition at Yank Adams's Billiard Academy in the Bronx, defeating Joe Fishel, 200 to 1, with an unfinished run of 127. The game went eleven innings.

A. Quinn added another victory to his string in the amateur 14.2 balkline tournament at Lawlers' New York Academy last night, when he defeated H. Edge by a score of 125 to 66. The winner had a high run of 18 and the loser 10. The match was completed in thirty-three innings. Joseph Blaisdell scored his fourth successive victory in the Brooklyn section of the same tournament at Lawlers' Brooklyn Academy, when he defeated James Clemens at 125 to 76. Blaisdell, with a high run of 17, went out in forty-two innings. Clemens had a high run of 10.

Robert McGirr gained in the Metropolitan three-cushion tournament at the Broadway Billiard Academy last night, when he defeated E. Kahn by a score of 50 to 24. The match went fifty-two innings. McGirr had a high run of 6 while his opponent's best performance was 2.

In the metropolitan amateur pocket billiard championship tourney, being conducted at Fuller's Academy, Carl Vaughn defeated Clarence Hurd last night 100 to 97 in thirty-five innings. The winner had a high run of 19, unfinished, and Hurd had one of 15.


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# FOG HALTS OLYMPIC, LOSING CHRISTMAS HERE

## Lord Cecil, Galli-Curci, Pablo Casals and British Air Leaders Are on Delayed Liner.

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LONDON, Dec. 17.—Fog in the English Channel has already spoiled the chances of a number of Americans reaching home by Christmas. They are on the White Star liner Olympic, which was to sail today at 1:30 o'clock from Southampton, and was the last ship by which visitors to England could get to New York for the holiday. She was unable however, to start on time this afternoon and it is considered doubtful whether the fog will lift sufficiently for her to find her way past the Isle of Wight for hours.

Lord Cecil, accompanied by his wife, is aboard in order to receive personally the award of the Woodrow Wilson Peace Prize. Music is represented among passengers by Mme. Galli-Curci and Pablo Casals, 'cellist, and there are also two former British Air Ministers, Brig. Gen. Lord Thomson, who held that position in the Socialist Ministry, and Captain the Hon. Frederick Guest, who served in the Coalition Cabinet.

Other interesting passengers are Mr. and Mrs. Guerney Mann, Captain John Wanamaker, the Hon. Marguerite Shaughnessy of Moonel and 16-year-old Jack Rosebaun of Philadelphia. Master Rosebaun is at a preparatory school in Swanage and is going home alone for his Christmas holidays. As he has already crossed the ocean twenty-one times, he is one of the most experienced travelers abroad.

All together there are about 450 passengers in the first cabin, and the heaviest mail (nearly 12,000 bags) ever shipped at Southampton in the hold. This is the last round trip of Captain Howarth, commander of the Olympic, who, like Commodore Sir B. Hayes of the Majestic, is retiring for age.

## ENRIGHT IN MONTEVIDEO.

### New York Police Head Has an Audience With Uruguay's President.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Dec. 17.—Richard E. Enright, Police Commissioner of New York City, arrived here this morning for a visit of a day. He was elaborately entertained by the police officials and tendered a big dinner tonight.

During the day Mr. Enright inspected Police Headquarters and later had an audience with President Serrato. He returned to Buenos Aires tonight.

# FIVE KILLED BY GAS, SEVERAL OVERCOME

## Family of Seven, Unconscious, Is Revived by Use of Pulmotors.

## PIPE IN CEILING EXPLODES

### Shatters Windows at 320 West 98th Street and Starts Blaze in an Apartment.

Five deaths from asphyxiation were reported in New York yesterday. Others were overcome by gas but were revived by pulmotors.

Frank Coshette, 45, a clerk, of 331 East Eighty-first Street, was found dead in his bed in a room filled with gas which had escaped from an open burner in a kitchen range. Louis Abt, another resident of the house, was leaving to go to work when he smelled gas. He called Patrolman Fred Magnus of the East Sixty-seventh Street Station, who forced the door to Coshette's room.

Michael Bischiotte, 18 years old, a butcher's helper, was found dead in his room in the home of his employer, Vito Pacasio, at 2,028 Boston Road. An ambulance surgeon who was summoned found that Bischiotte had died of carbon monoxide poisoning after a heater which was burning in his room had consumed all the oxygen.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Peterson were found dead in the kitchen of their home at 41 Lombardi Street, Brooklyn, after residents of the house smelled gas and forced their way into the Peterson apartment. Mrs. Elisabeth Obie, whose apartment is directly over that of the Petersons, was rendered unconscious by gas fumes which found their way into her apartment, but she was revived.

Mrs. Jean McMahan, 28 years old, a widow, was killed by gas which leaked from overhead fixtures in a bedroom of her home, at 5,611 Fourth Avenue. Her body was discovered by her sister, Miss Christine Ure, when she returned from shopping.

At 427 Forty-eighth Street, Brooklyn, Anthony Fiere, his wife and their five children were overcome, but later were revived by pulmotors. The gas came from a tube which had become accidentally disconnected from the kitchen range.

A gas pipe exploded in the ceiling of an apartment on the second floor of 320 West Ninety-sixth Street, tearing a large hole in the ceiling of one room of Salvatore's Lee's apartment and routing several families from their beds. The force of the explosion shattered glass in seven windows on the second floor. Curtains in one apartment caught fire and caused an alarm to be sent in, but the flames were extinguished before the firemen arrived. Many sleeping tenants were showered with plaster from the ceilings.

# ZIWAR WON'T CONVOKE EGYPTIAN PARLIAMENT

## Premier Declares That Debates on the Crisis With Britain Would Make Matters Worse.

CAIRO, Egypt, Dec. 17 (Associated Press).—The Egyptian Government of Ziwar Pasha has refused to convoke the National Parliament. It was announced today, despite the petitions for such convocation sent to King Faud and the Premier from Parliamentary and other quarters.

Premier Ziwar, in a note to the Council of Ministers setting forth the Government's refusal, stated:

"The Cabinet believes that the political reasons for which an adjournment was taken Nov. 15, still exist. The Ministry, in effect, has thus far been unable to fulfill its entirely lawful mission of finding within the limits of its constitutional powers a solution of the grave and dangerous situation which is principally the outcome of the general policy of the previous Cabinet."

The Premier asserted that appeasement of the popular feeling permitting a better understanding of the situation was not yet general or sufficient. He declared that Parliamentary debates in the Chamber would only make the situation worse and excite the disturbing elements anew.

Zaghlul Pasha, the former Premier and Nationalist leader who has been in the country suffering from an attack of bronchitis, returned to Cairo today and began the holding of meetings with his adherents. His political organization, the Wafd, is sitting continuously and preparing for the elections, as the dissolution of Parliament is considered certain.

# BERLIN TALKS WITH LONDON

## Telephone Conversations Between Them Carried On for First Time.

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BERLIN, Dec. 17.—London and Berlin conversed by telephone last night for the first time. The conversations were entirely experimental. What was said was intelligible on the whole, although some difficulty was experienced. Women's voices were more easily understood than men's.

Regular London-Berlin telephone communication will be installed next Spring. It is hoped.

# BUSINESS RECORDS

## BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS.

### Petitions Filed—Against

MERINSKY & CO.; INC., jobbers of shirts and collars, 23 East 17th Street. By Earl & Wilson, Inc., for $4,418; Chuest, Peabody, Inc., $1,500; Carl Schwartz, $839.

MORRIS KRAVITZ, doing business as Longacre Woolen Co., 23 Union Square. By H. W. T. Mali & Co., $1,000; W. Goodman, $1,000; M. Bassell, $1,000. Charlotte Farrar was appointed receiver, under $500 bond by Judge Bondy. Liabilities, about $12,000; assets, about $1,000.

SCHUSTER & HARRIS, manufacturers of feathers, 23 West 36th Street.—By Hirschfield & Asch, $90; I. Salzman & Co., Inc., $192; H. Harron Co., Inc., $530. The members of the firm are Emanuel Schuster and Jacob Harris.

JACOB WEININGER, INC., shoes, 1,812 Wilkins Avenue.—By the Levie Shoe Co. on a claim for $2,400.

ABRAHAM SILVERMAN, doing business as Strand Knitting Co., 8 West 29th Street.—By Yetta Kraus, for $1,000; Blossom Graubard, $100.

CHARLES POTASHNICK, furniture, 64 Riverdale Avenue, Yonkers.—By Tennessee Furniture Co. on a claim for $685.

ISAAC GITLITZ, groceries and food products, 880 Myrtle Avenue, Brooklyn, by Samuel Lapidus for $1,820. Judge Inch has appointed William Tipple receiver, in bond of $1,000.

HIRSCH BOLTANSKY, individually and trading as B. and H. Boltansky, leather and shoe findings, 4,716 Third Avenue, Brooklyn, by Louis Silberman & Sons for $474; Roman Aetna Blacking Corp., $54; and Blanche Roth, $371. Judge Inch has appointed James G. Moore receiver, in bond of $1,000.

### Petitions Filed—By.

CHARLES W. GREEN, advertising agent, 235 Fifth Avenue. Liabilities, $16,000; no assets. Richard S. Wood is the principal creditor on a claim for $4,663.

ABRAHAM ISRAELOFF, fruit peddler, 341 East 120th Street. Liabilities, $2,902; no assets.

CORA C. WILKENING, theatrical agent, Douglaston, L. I. Liabilities, $55,890; assets, $20,100.

### Assignments.

SHOLEM AND SAMUEL BLASS, co-partners, trading as S. Blass & Son, 504 Rockaway Avenue, Brooklyn, to Leo Goldenbaum, Morris Horowitz and Harry Sakolsky, 1,351 Forty-sixth Street, Brooklyn.

### Receivers Appointed.

SPIRO WATCH CASE CO., INC., 126 Maiden Lane. Alice Moran appointed under $700 bond by Judge Bondy. Liabilities about $23,000, assets about $1,500.

KEWA NOVELTY CO., INC., knit goods, 1,915 Park Avenue. John H. Kolkman appointed under $7,500 bond by Judge Bondy. Liabilities about $35,000; assets about $10,000.

NATHAN KOLB, cloaks and suits, 28 Avenue B. C. R. Bloomfield appointed under $500 bond by Judge Bondy. Liabilities about $3,000; assets about $1,000.

IDA WUNSCH, bakery, 1,974 Third Avenue. Alice Moran appointed under $500 bond by Judge Bondy.

JACOB GINSBERG, clothier, 2,123 Second Avenue. Charles Shongood appointed custodian under $500 bond by Judge Bondy.

MORGNER CATALOGUE CO., 294 Adams Street, Brooklyn. Judge Inch has appointed George F. Maguire in bond of $2,000.

### Schedules Filed.

LEO ZWEIFACH, doing business as Leo's Woman Shop, 43 Division Street. Liabilities, $30,907; assets, $6,500, main item being cash $5,400. Principal creditors are Geo. I. Fox., Inc., $3,382; Ess & Jay Mfg. Co. $2,180; Abe Busch, $1,936; Royal Cloak House, $1,360.

### Compositions Confirmed.

REUBEN LICHTER, doing business as Richter & Son, manufacturers of soda fountains and accessories, 574 St. Nicholas Avenue, 25 per cent.

ALBERT WEISS, men's and women's furnishings, 608 Tenth Avenue. 20 per cent.

### Bankruptcy Discharges.

PERRY BRADFORD, music writer, 1,547 Broadway. $183.76

WALTER CHAMBERS, student, 137 East 66th Street.

DONALD M. CALDWELL, radio and electrical supplies, 2,612 Broadway.

CHARLES W. BULL, jewelry, 10 Maiden Lane.

HARRY SLATEN, engraving, 701 Westchester Avenue.

DAVID AND WALKER ESRIG, composing the firm of Esrig Bros., grocers, 347 East Tenth Street.

LUIGI CASALI, truckman, 1,084 Jerome Avenue.

JACOB STEIN, millinery, 38 West 36th Street. $175.35

RUDOLPH COHN, dresses, 2,195 Third Avenue.

ALFRED GERMANI, doing business as Premier Embroidery Works, formerly 146 West 23d Street.

ROBERT WINFIELD, agent, 3,120 Hull Avenue.

ALEXANDER L. WINFIELD, agent, 568 West 149th Street.

W. GRANT WYKOFF, grocer, Southfields, N. Y.; Abraham Tauber, 45 West 31st Street.

HERMAN ZIMMERMAN, furniture, 209 Eighth Avenue.

SIGMUND BEIGEL, doing business as Claire Dress Co. and Jeanette Dress Co., 110 West 29th Street and 12 West 31st Street.

WILLIAM ROSENBERG, who was a member of the firm of A. Meshekow Son & Rosenberg, furs, 143 West 27th Street.

ABRAHAM COHEN, braids and trimmings, 456 Seventh Avenue.

ROY L. BROWN, 135 West 84th Street; Ben Kaufman, clothier, 42 Bowery.

LENA BARNETT, who was a partner in the Barnett Supply Co., 18 West 18th Street.

NATHAN AND SAMUEL PAPOPORT, composing the firm of Rapoport Bros., furs, 43 West 26th Street.

NATHAN S. FRIED, general merchandise, Peekskill. $264.50

JOSEPH BABINOWITZ, who was a member of the firm of Seasonwein & Rabinowitz, dresses, 44 West 28th Street.

IDA MUNZER, saleslady, Hotel Ansonia.

LOUIS ACKERMAN, furs, 40 West 27th Street.

EHR & SCHNEIDER, cloaks and suits, 135 West 35th Street.

LOUIS SILBERBERG AND SAM KAVEN, partners of the firm of Silberberg & Kaven, millinery, 42 West 37th Street.

## JUDGMENTS.

Filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

### In New York County.

Allen, John J.—City of N. Y. $186.41
Alliance Steam Laundry, Inc.—Same. $114.90
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Baldauf, John—Same $180.61
Bard, Walter—Same $180.61
Bellone, Peter—Same $180.61
Cohen, Louis J.—Same $180.61
Dayton, Harry T.—Same $180.61
Dard, Herman—Same $180.61
Ehrbar, Edw. P.—Same $180.61
Finger, Michael—Same $177.32
Elders Building Corp.—Same $114.90
Florio, Frederick—Same $180.61
Flushing Auto Trucking Co., Inc.—Same. $114.90
Farias, Chas. S.—Same $178.96
Goldstein, Jeffrey—Same $180.61
Greene, Everett—Same $180.61
Haber, Nathan—Same $180.61
Hand, David C.—Same $170.61
Herbert, Silas F.—Same $180.61
Haddad, Adeeb—Same $180.61
Itzkowitz, Marcus—Same $180.61
J. R. Holding Co.—Same $114.90
Jennings, Albert D.—Same $147.75
Jones, John W.—Same $174.04
Jarosci, Florrie—Same $180.61
Local Auto Trucking Co., Inc.—Same. $114.90
Lee Ave. Photoplay Corp.—Same. $114.90
L. Schutsman & Co.—Same $147.75
Levin, Solomon—Same $156.61
Merrill Heights Realty Co.—Same $114.90
M. Israel, Inc.—Same $114.90
Miller, Alexander—Same $180.61
New ERD Amusement Co., Inc.—Same. $114.90
Progressive House and Home Co., Inc.—Same $181.38
Perry Real Estate Corp.—Same $147.75
Purdy, Annie V.—Same $114.90
Sheffield Amusement Co., Inc.—Same. $147.75
Thatcher Estates—Same $114.90
Thomas F. Gillen & Co.—Same $142.75
Utz, Anthony—Same $114.90
Utopian Transportation Co., Inc.—Same. $114.90
Weibert, Charles J.—Same $114.90
Whitney Amusement Co.—Same $147.75
Ansonia Products Co., Inc.—B. H. McDonough $307.24
Astrove, Louis, and Abraham Schiffman—M. Cutolo $106.35
Butler, Lemuel C.—Francis Emery Fitch, Inc. $102.57
Barfield, Joseph—A. M. Barnstein et al. $1,057.17
Baldwin, Elwood P.—Western Newspaper Union $156.51
Bloch, Zotta—F. Hagan $1,812.92
Cosa, Salvatore—Julius Oehrlein, Inc. $8,107.73
Clementer Contracting Co., Inc.—E. Heimerich $16,138.83
Same—F. Heimerich $2,088.38
Dyrenda, Thomas—Sherwood Automobile Corp. $845.50
Di Novi, Charles—N. L. Post $292.37
Davidson, Henry, executor—A. P. Eachman, $3,626.35
Dauber, Leon—Morris Park Estates $711.61
Ellis, Jacob G.—Menter Co., Inc., costs. $462.00
Econo Realty Corp.—A. Cohen $488.45
European West Indies Corp.—Mercator Oleff
Bremer Kolonial and Handels Aktiengesellschaft $1,575.96
Feigenbaum, Albert, Irving Cantor and Henry Eisenstadt—G. Martini $4,585.15
Fleherty, John J.—Doctors' Service Corpe., Inc. $240.31
Fidelity & Deposit Co. of Md.—R. Krechefsky $316.52
Furniss, T. Benedict—N. Brenner $298.58
Same—Same $252.76
Fidelity & Deposit Co. of Md.—R. Krechefsky $670.91
Gaidfarb—W. Chrinez $930.95
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Goldberg, Harry—G. Mitar $75.22
Joseph, Jacob—Same $191.73
Narcise, David—L. Katz $198.75
Penner & Kyman, Louis Reehs & Morris Goldfarb—W. Chrinez $930.95
Possio, Frank—L. Katz $201.38
Perell, David—S. Gans $54.63
Radeloff, John A.—W. B. Altman $559.30
Senate, Samuel—Isley & Held Co. $538.48
Teitler, Harry and Max and Morris Schutzfeld—Demand Realty Co., Inc. $466.15

## SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor; the second that of the creditor and date when judgment was filed:

### In New York County.

Interborough Rapid Transit Co.—P. Murphy, Nov. 3, 1924 $450.00
Same—H. Campbell, June 6, 1924 $400.00
Same—P. J. Campbell, June 6, 1924 $250.00
Schediegger, John—F. S. Bourniaian, Nov. 5, 1924 $401.40
Van Dasler, H. A. S.—F. Knickerbocker, Nov. 20, 1923 $387.40
Boxhorn, Lawrence—Barrett Co., Oct. 24, 1923 (released) $173.42
Sharpe, Stanley—J. Bohn, April 19, 1914 (canceled) $4,947.01
Friedman, Louis—S. Hass et al., Oct. 20, 1924 $1,085.15
Teitelbaum, Aaron—M. Schlosberg, Nov. 26, 1924 $741.52
Interborough Rapid Transit Co.—A. Avallone Co., March 27, 1924 $27,010.58
Same—G. J. Webster, Oct. 22, 1924 $1,932.04
On Leong Teng Assn et al.—Mtl. Surety Co., July 10, 1924 $2,146.37
Bailey, Frank J.—G. Frey et al., Oct. 20, 1920 $205.54

### In Bronx County.

Friesler, Isidore; S. Roth, July 15, 1924 $71.30
Heitman, John—E. D. Murphy et al., April 2, 1918 $126.75

## MECHANICS' LIENS.

Filed yesterday:

### In New York County.

47TH ST, 114 AND 116 WEST: David Saparnik et al. against Smacknow Realty Corp., Inc., owner; Alan Zimmerman, contractor $300.00

107TH ST, 162 WEST; Louis Fagin against Amalia Friedrich, owner; William S. Brown, contractor $38.30

13TH ST, 126 WEST: A. Dreecher, Inc., against Mary A. Corcoran, owner; Helen Heimer, contractor $451.84

72D ST, 245 WEST; George H. Storm et al against 245 West 72d St. Corp., owner and contractor; Aliman Construction Corp., contractor $9,714.19

131ST ST, 460 AND 462 WEST: Ely Feinstein against Benhur Realty Corp., owner and contractor $975.00

LEXINGTON AV, 972; Parquet Flooring & Trim Supply Corp. against Justus Ruperti, owner; Stanhold Co., Inc., and Michael Kranss, contractors $3,100.00

26TH ST, 233 AND 235 WEST; Atlantic Terra Cotta Co. against Dian Building Corp., owner and contractor $569.76

BEEKMAN PLACE, 30; Samuel W. Aron against Marie Borkell, owner; Mrs. Davis, contractor $1,700.25

39TH ST, 208 TO 212 WEST; Harlem Building Material Supply Co., Inc. against 208-210 West 39th St. Corp., owner; Wennemer Construction Co., Inc., Joseph and Frank Wennemer, contractors $3,657.25

98TH ST, 206 EAST; Strychac Fireproofing Co., Inc. against Mareida & Fiternick Realty Corp., owner and contractor $902.30

19TH ST, 146 EAST; Max Lichtenstein against Helen F. Bryan et al., owner; Architectural Cabinet Co. and Arthur E. Mullaney, contractors $386.00

### In Bronx County.

MORRIS AV, 1,311 to 1,315; also 1,327 and 1,329 Morris Av.; City Kalamein Co., Inc., against Barnet Lipson, Louis Fromer and Charles Blank, owner; Gittleman & Goldberg, contractor $1,214.95

GIRAN AV, n e cor, of Nickle Av., 100x261; Gun Hill Lumber Co. against George Olsen, owner; John Olsen, contractor $182.50

233D ST, 960 and 962 EAST; Gun Hill Lumber Co. against Marie Givin, owner; Farrell Bros., contractor $325.00

MOSHOLU PARKWAY, n e cor. of Steuben Av, 196.84x196; W. J. White against Mosholu Apartments, Inc., owners and contractors $7,435.75

177TH ST, 220 EAST; F. Pisani against estate of William Rowe, owner; Philactos Bros. Realty Co., Inc., contractors $125.00

167TH ST, s e cor. of Tiebout Av; City Kalamein Co., Inc., against Sherman & Gittleman Realty Corp., owners and contractors $1,220.55

## SATISFIED MECHANICS' LIENS.

### In New York County.

36TH ST, 136 EAST; Old Bridge Enameled Brick and Tile Co. against 138 East 36th St. Corp. et al. Oct. 23, 1924. $620.72

MORNINGSIDE DRIVE, s w corner of 119th St; M. O'Neill Supply Co., Inc., against Riverside Viaduct Realty Co., Inc., et al., Dec. 3, 1924, bond $110.38

AUDUBON AV, n e corner of 167th St; Rose & Gade Co., Inc., against Tennessee Building Corp. et al., Dec. 3, 1924, by bond $1,138.75

12TH ST, 219 EAST; Mariano Acerbo against Samuel A. Dorfman et al.; Sept. 16, 1924. $300.00

MORNINGSIDE DRIVE, s w corner of 119th St; M. O'Neill Supply Co., Inc., against Creswell Realty Corp. et al., Dec. 3, 1924, by bond $110.38

AUDUBON AV, n e corner of 167th St; Interborough Plumbing Supply Co., Inc., against Tennessee Building Corp. et al., Dec. 4, 1924, by bond $301.16

### In Bronx County.

Pierce Av, 1,193; A. Jacobson against Vincent Fontini et al., Nov. 3, 1924 $94.00

167TH ST, 36 EAST—I. Lazar against Bernett Goldstein et al.; Aug. 26, 1924 $1,980.00

MORRIS PARK AV, 2, s s, 371 ft w of Unionport Road, 41x2; Felix Lent and Cantor, Inc., against 180th St Realty Corp. et al., Jan. 20, 1923 $200.00

GRAND BOULEVARD, CONCOURSE, 1,372; S. Stotsky against Harry Mieroff et al., July 30th, 1924 $274.00

MORRIS PARK AV, 629-635; Van Nest Lumber and Trim Corp. against 180th St Realty Corp., et al., March 17, 1923 $98.34


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# MORE BANKS VOTE A CHRISTMAS BONUS

**Equitable Trust, Bankers Trust, Standard Bank and Metropolitan Trust Among Them.**

**LISMAN & CO. PAYMENT BIG**

**Troy Will Distribute From 10 to 20 Per Sent.—Various Dividends Declared.**

Additional institutions in Wall Street went on the list of Christmas bonus payers yesterday. The Equitable Trust Company voted a bonus to employes and officers in accordance with the company's plan for distribution in force for several years. The company did not state the amount, but indicated that it was substantially larger than the bonus paid last Christmas.

A bonus of 5 per cent. on salaries of employes was declared by the Bankers Trust Company.

An elastic scale providing for bonus payments has been arranged by the Standard Bank, which announced yesterday that the distribution to employes this month will range at from 2 to 7 per cent. of their salaries. A bonus of 2 per cent. of the annual salary at the end of the year will be paid to all employes plus 1 per cent. additional for each full year of service by employes of longer standing. The bank first tried this plan last year, directors stating that it was the most practicable means of rewarding long service.

One of the largest bonuses yet announced was authorized by F. J. Lisman & Co., who will pay a Christmas bonus ranging from 10 to 20 per cent. of the annual salaries.

Directors of the Metropolitan Trust Company approved of three plans for Christmas celebration. A bonus of 10 per cent. of the year's salaries to all employes was voted and the company also declared the usual quarterly dividend of 4 per cent., payable Dec. 31 to stock of record Dec. 19. The annual Christmas dinner-dance program was called to the directors' attention and this will be held next Monday evening at the Hotel Roosevelt. Nearly 300 members of the company's staff and friends will attend. A gift for everybody who serves on the company's payroll is planned.

Announcement was made by the Dry Dock Savings Bank that the regular quarterly dividend to depositors has been declared for the quarter ending Dec. 31 at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, payable on Jan. 19 next.

The Union Square Savings Bank has declared its regular dividend to depositors at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum for the quarter ended Dec. 31 next.

The Chemical National Bank declared its regular bimonthly dividend of 4 per cent. on stock of record Dec. 20, payable Jan. 2.

The New York Trust Company declared its regular quarterly dividend of 5 per cent., payable Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 20.

# STEERING COMMITTEE BLOCKS HARBOR BILL

***Turns Down Chairman Dempsey's Plea That Date Be Set to Consider Measure.***

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Holding to its program of conceding regular appropriation bills right of way, the Republican Steering Committee of the House declined today to give preferential status to the bill to appropriate $53,600,000 for river and harbor improvements.

A delegation from the Rivers and Harbors Committee, including Chairman Dempsey, tried in vain to induce the Steering Committee to fix a date for consideration of the waterway measure. With less than half the appropriation bills out of committee, House leaders are keeping out general legislation, except for the McFadden Banking bill, which will be taken up after the Christmas recess.

Chairman Dempsey, in a statement issued after he and his committee colleagues had conferred with the Steering Committee, declared there has been a "general misapprehension" of the Rivers and Harbors Project bill.

"It has been thought," he said, "that the bill is an appropriation measure and that it provides for the expenditure of $53,000,000 during the coming fiscal year.

"The bill, only authorizes appropriations to be made in the future, covering a period of five years. No expenditures will be made during the coming fiscal year, and thereafter not to exceed $10,000,000 will be expended annually until the projects adopted are completed."

The Hudson River improvement, he said, would carry deep water navigation to Albany, while an additional breakwater at Los Angeles would give abundant space for unparalleled growth in commerce there. A canal running from New Orleans to Corpus Christi would enable the people to obtain the only sulphur in the country, which is located on this canal, at a low transportation cost.

## CRUDE OIL OUTPUT GAINS.

**New Texas Field Is Producing 30,000 Barrels Daily.**

Production of crude oil in the United States averaged 1,975,183 barrels daily, according to The Oil City Derrick, a gain of 1,848 barrels compared with the previous week. Declines in production were reported in many fields, but these losses were more than offset by a gain of 9,300 barrels in the daily average production of the recently discovered Wortham field in Texas.

According to the paper, the Wortham field is now producing about 30,000 barrels of oil daily. Output is expected to increase to about 75,000 barrels daily some time in February and eventually to 200,000 barrels daily. Despite the large supplies of oil now held, it is pointed out that numerous large companies are making preparations to take up all the oil produced in the Wortham field. Every barrel of oil now being produced is immediately taken by the larger companies, and some companies are seeking contracts for future production. About 200 rigs have been set up on the field already, of which 100 are now drilling.

## BIG OIL CONTRACTS LET.

**Fleet Corporation Awards $5,340,000 Barrels to Standard.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Contracts for 7,036,000 barrels of fuel oil were awarded today by the Fleet Corporation.

The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey will furnish 5,340,000 barrels, of which 4,200,000 are to be delivered at New York at $1.79 a barrel, 960,000 to Baltimore at $1.79 and $180,000 barrels to Charleston at $1.74.

The Mexican Petroleum Company of New York will furnish 696,000 barrels, 198,000 to be delivered to Jacksonville, at $1.70 and 198,000 to Houston, at $1.50.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company will supply 1,300,000 barrels at Beaumont, Magnetao and Sabine at $1.45 a barrel.

# BUSINESS WORLD

**COMMERCIAL PAPER.**

Yesterday—3¼@3½% for the best names.
Tuesday—3¼@3½% for the best names.
The quotations are for six months' paper.

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**Women's Ribbed Goods Selling.**

Not the least interesting feature of the business that is now being placed in ribbed underwear for Fall, 1925, delivery is that advance orders for women's ribbed goods are much greater than last year. In addition to this, at least one of the big selling agencies has had a much larger duplicate business on this merchandise than for some time. In fact, it was described yesterday as being quite remarkable. Both the repeat and advance buying are attributed to the very low condition of wholesalers' stocks, which resulted from their failure to buy to any extent a year ago. This failure led more than one member of the trade to think that the bloomer type of underwear, both silk and cotton, had permanently superseded ribbed vests and drawers. Current and recent buying, however, disproves this belief very forcibly.

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**Cross-Word Puzzles in Percales.**

The cross-word puzzle craze has finally invaded the cotton goods field, with the result that M. C. D. Borden & Sons are now offering to the trade a number of attractive designs on the puzzle order in percales to retail at about 20 cents a yards. They are being put out in black, orange, red and blue on white grounds, as well as in blue, brown and green on tan grounds. The checks making up the puzzle effect are about a quarter of an inch square. Despite the very short time they have been on the market the new goods were said yesterday to be taking well with buyers on the lookout for novelties.

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**Percales Still Moving Well.**

Little fault is to be found with the amount of business now being placed by buyers of percales, reports emanating from certain quarters of the trade indicating some of the best December business in these goods that has been done for some time. This is attributed primarily to the light stocks in the hands of the jobbers, which forces them to duplicate frequently as a result of the increasing call from the retail trade. Much of the duplication is on novelty goods, which appear to be most in demand, and which jobbers stocked more or less lightly on the theory that small stocks meant small losses if the goods did not move as expected.

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**What One Color for Spring?**

One of the questions that is bothering selling agents of dress goods mills at the moment is the one color that is likely to stand out in the Spring season as did the cranberry shade during the Fall. The vogue of the latter came without warning, and it found many of the mills unable to meet the immediate demand. The outcome was that fabrics of other colors were dyed in the cranberry shade. This produced streaks and uneven effects, and the fabrics generally were not up to the standard which the mills would have upheld if they had had more time. At present there is no single color that stands out for Spring, the mills showing a very wide variety, running the whole gamut of color.

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**Hosiery Trade Fairly Busy.**

Although there is little more than routine business being done just now in the hosiery trade the local market is far from being completely quiet. There is some duplicate business coming in on fancy gift hosiery, according to the special news letter of the National Association of Hosiery and Underwear Manufacturers, and enough orders are being received in general to keep things going. Sellers here appear satisfied and cite recent mill reports as proof of the volume of goods that changed hands during the past month. Prices continue firm in most of the hosiery group. Several job lots have been dumped on the market at bargain prices, but have not caused changes in the general market levels of the goods with which they compete.

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**Spring Buying Still Slow.**

No substantial pick-up in the demand for Spring clothing has materialized recently, according to wholesalers here, who say that for the time being the buying of retailers continues rather slow and spotty. Confidence is still expressed, however, that there is a considerable quantity of business yet to be done. A prime factor in holding back Spring orders is the preparations which retailers are now making to move their Fall stocks to consumers. Sales of considerable magnitude are said to be planned for January and February, and garments for these events are being bought now to average down total costs of the merchandise to be offered.

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**Orders for Artificial Silk.**

Large users of artificial silk have been placing substantial orders to cover themselves at present prices through the first three months of next year. They are convinced that there is likely to be an upward revision of prices by the leading producers of the fibre about April 1. So large has the volume of orders been for the artificial product for delivery up to that time that in some instances the producers have been compelled to cut them down. This is particularly true of certain deniers, the production of which is not as great as others, but for which the demand lately has been ruling strong.

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**Handkerchief Volume Is Large.**

In one respect, at least, retail holiday trade is setting a new record. This is in the sale of women's handkerchiefs as gift merchandise. Probably never before was it said yesterday, have so many retailers throughout the country given so much space and attention to these items as they are doing at the moment. That they have done wisely is indicated by the volume of business in the handkerchief departments. One explanation of the consumer interest is that handkerchiefs meet a big need as a gift that will be entirely acceptable and at moderate cost. This tendency has been further spurred by the production of the largest variety of novelty handkerchiefs, both in color and pattern, ever turned out. Wholesalers have been put to it to meet the fill-in orders of the past few weeks.

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**Will Closely Study Market Here.**

While reports from ready-to-wear salesmen on the road with Spring garment lines indicate that retailers are looking forward to an active Spring, they also show that there will be much studying of the market at first hand by store representatives on their trips here next month and during February. This is attributed mainly to the style uncertainty prevailing at the present time, which is holding back somewhat the sale of early sample merchandise. The retailers are said to have found that the style changes are so swift at times that too large buying of the sample lines has not worked out well. This risk they believe will be obviated by a survey of the market here and the style tendencies next month.

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**Gray Goods Not So Active.**

Although printcloths again made up a large part of the business done in the local gray goods market yesterday trading was not quite so active as it was on Monday. Printcloth sales of the day included February and early March deliveries of 39-inch 68-72s at 10⅜ cents, while 9¼ cents was paid for quick shipments of 38½-inch 64-60s. Some sellers were holding the latter goods for 9¼ cents. January-February 38½-inch 60-48s moved at 8 cents. The best that buyers could get on 39-inch 80-squares and 39-inch 72-76s was 13 and 12 cents respectively. In the sheetings nothing better than 10¼ cents could be done on 37-inch 48-square four-yard cloths by buyers, and this figure would buy only spot goods from mill accounts. Sales of 36-inch 5.50-yard sheetings were put through at 8 cents. For 37-inch 3.95-yard drills buyers paid 10⅝ cents, with 11 cents asked by some holders. Nothing better than 14 cents could be done on 37½-inch 4.37-yard sateens, and for 72-80 pajama checks the asking price of 10⅝ cents.

**BUSINESS NOTES.**

About Jan. 1 the Marks-Tazer Company, Inc., dress manufacturers, will be located at 6 to 10 East Thirty-second Street.

Larry Levin, formerly connected with I. D. Wolfson, Inc., has joined the sales force of Lehman & Lieberman, makers of men's neckwear, 79 Fifth Avenue.

# 'FREE LOTS' A FRAUD, WINNERS TESTIFY

**Tell of Payments Made for 'Choice' Location After They Had Won Prize.**

**FALSE PROMISES ALLEGED**

**Tax Department Holds Hearing on Renewing Empire State Improvement Company License.**

The State Tax Department held a hearing yesterday to consider the advisability of renewing the license of the Empire State Improvement Company of 5 Beekman Street, which utilizes the "free lot scheme" in disposing of its property.

Harry W. Rosenbloom, investigator in the tax office, declared that the corporation had been conducting its business illegitimately, making false representations to prospective buyers. He said also that, whereas every salesman must under the Real Estate License law have a broker's license, only five of the fifty-four salesmen employed by the firm were so licensed.

Francis X. Hennessy, attorney for the company, stated that, inasmuch as the property was being sold, the broker's license was not required. He threatened to apply for a writ of prohibition on the grounds that the Tax Commission was without jurisdiction in conducting the investigation and because Mr. Rosenbloom had procured information concerning the financial affairs of the corporation which, the attorney alleged, was a violation of the provision of the Income Tax law guaranteeing secrecy.

The first witness was Terrence McCaffrey, a retired Lieutenant in the Fire Department. A woman came to the McCaffrey flat in November with a list of names and addresses of others in the neighborhood and said she was giving away lots to the persons who were fortunate enough to choose the "lucky" number. In return all she desired was a letter of recommendation to a friend. A week later a Mr. Strauss, a salesman, said that Mrs. McCaffrey had the "lucky number and was to get a free lot in Rosedale, L. I.

The McCaffreys had to pay $45 for filing the deed, they were told. Before going to Rosedale to pick out their "free" lot the McCaffreys went to the Beekman Street office, where they were told the money would be refunded if they were not satisfied, the witness said. He said they were offered a lot which was covered by timber. This they refused to accept. Mr. Strauss then offered them a "choice" lot near the thoroughfare, which, if they purchased for $900, would bring them a large profit, Mr. McCaffrey testified. The witness went on to tell of paying $200 down, and, later, of his unsuccessful attempts to get back his money. A number of others told similar stories.

The President of the firm is Maxwell R. Slutzkin. A man who sat next to Mr. Hennessy said he was Mr. Slutzkin. Arthur G. Mandeville, an attorney, and others who had dealings with the firm contended that this man had told them he was Richard Sloane when they saw him at his office.

"I look very much like Richard Sloane," he explained. "He is my brother." Sloane is Secretary of the corporation. It was organized in 1923 with a capital stock of $5,000.

# NAPPED GOODS ARE OPENED FOR 1925

***They Show General Reduction of a Cent a Yard, With Variation in Deliveries.***

Leading lines of wide napped goods for the cutting-up trade are now open for 1925 on the basis of a reduction of a cent a yard from the levels that prevailed at the opening of the 1924 season about a year ago. In all but a few instances the goods that have been priced are 30 inches wide, the few exceptions being shirtings of the 32-inch width. There is quite a little variation, however, in the deliveries for which the different lines are offered.

Among the important lines priced yesterday were those of the Tremont and Suffolk Mills, the Appleton Company and the Florence Mills, which are sold through Catlin & Co. All of these fabrics are offered at the new prices for delivery from May to September, both inclusive. Selling terms provide for discounts of 4 per cent. 30 days, 5 per cent., 10 days, 60 extra, on goods shipped during May, June and July, and discounts of 3 per cent., 10 days, or 2 per cent., 10 days, 60 extra, on deliveries made after Aug. 1.

All of the prices are net, and those for the Tremont and Suffolk lines run this way: Thirty-six-inch fancy flannels—L. D. light styles, 15½ cents; L. D. plains and grays, 16 cents; F. S. light styles, 18 cents; F. S. plains and grays, 18½ cents. The 36-inch white flannel quotations are "Lily," 14½ cents; "Lucern," 15 cents; "Lotus," 17½ cents; "Locust," 18½ cents, and "Lilac," 21 cents.

These are the prices quoted on the Appleton Company's goods: Thirty-six-inch fancy flannels—"Byelow," 15½ cents; "Alert," 16 cents; "Slumber," 16½ cents; "Tyrol," 18 cents, and "Apple Blossom," 20 cents. The 36-inch white flannel figures follow: "Electric," 14½ cents; "Eldorado," 15 cents; "Empress," 16 cents; "Esquimau," 17½ cents, and "Elephant," 18½ cents.

The Appleton lines also include a new 36-inch fancy shirting flannel which is offered under the trade name of "Apple Flannel." This fabric, which is priced at 27½ cents net, with selling terms of 3/10 or 2/10, 60 extra, is offered for May-September delivery in plains, stripes and plaids. It is also made in medium and large Buffalo checks.

Products of the Florence Mills, which are also sold through the Catlin firm, and which are of the light-stripe type, are priced at 14½ cents for "Highland" fabrics and 15 cents for "Florence" goods. All of the goods handled by Catlin & Co. are sold mill delivery, with no freight allowance.

New prices were also quoted yesterday on the 36-inch "Revolution" bleached shaker flannels, made by the Conestoga Export and Commission Company. These goods are sold for March to September delivery, both inclusive. The quotations run this way: No. 700, 14½ cents; No. 750, 15¼ cents; No. 800, 16½ cents; No. 850, 17 cents; No. 900, 18½ cents, and No. 950, 19½ cents. All of the foregoing are subject to change without notice.

For the coming season Woodward, Baldwin & Co. priced three grades of 36-inch "Red Diamond" bleached white flannels. Grade 100 was priced at 14½ cents, Grade 200 at 16 cents and Grade 300 at 18 cents. These goods were offered for March to September delivery, both inclusive, with terms of 2/10, Oct. dating.

The products of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company were priced late Tuesday afternoon and were offered for delivery from March through July. Selling terms are 2/10, Sept. dating. The goods are offered on the basis of mill delivery, with no freight allowance, and all orders are subject to revision of quantity. All of the list prices cover bleached and light goods only, with "darks" quoted a cent a yard higher. These are the prices on the Amoskeag 36-inch goods: Fancies—"1101 Cloth," 16½ cents; "1021 Cloth," 16 cents, and "Teazle Down," 21 cents.

Plains of the same width are quoted this way: "1101 Cloth," 16 cents; "Panola Cloth" (901), 17½ cents; "1021 Cloth," 18½ cents; "Teazle Down," 20½ cents, and "Daisy Cloth," 21 cents. The wide shirting novelties are priced at 22½ cents for "Sierino" goods and 27½ cents for "Woodsman" fabrics. On Amoskeag 32-inch range of shirtings these prices have been made: "2801 Cloth," 17 cents; "2701 Cloth," 21 cents, and "2601 Cloth," 25 cents.

# ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Lackawanna 1000.

ATLANTA, Ga.—H. G. Lewis Co.; Mr. McDermott, jobs better silk, cloth dresses; 3,230 B'way (F. M. Goldberg).

BALTIMORE—Joel Gutman & Co.; Joel Gutman, representing; 115 W. 30th St. (Weill & Hartman).

BALTIMORE—Hecht Bros. Co.; M. S. Hecht, mdse. mgr., 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.); Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—J. Mayer & Sons; J. Mayer, women's suitings; Breslin.

BALTIMORE—Mirvis & Small; B. Mervis, children's wear, knit goods; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—Lesatien Mfg. Co.; T. Silberman, piece goods, 1,182 B'way; Breslin.

BALTIMORE—The Hub; Miss R. Stein, misses', infants' wear; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

BALTIMORE—Silverstein & Schlossberg; J. Silverstein, J. Schlossberg, Spring coats, suits, ensemble suits; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; I. Plaut, woman's misses' Spring flannel dresses; Miss L. Bailey, women's, misses' Spring ensemble suits; Mrs. I. Hendon, stouts' Spring ensemble suits, dresses; 17 E. 39th (Associated D. G. Corp.); 2d floor.

BOSTON—C. F. Hovey Co., basement; Miss A. Golding, jobs radium bloomers; 225 5th Av.; room 811.

BOSTON—C. F. Hovey Co.; upstairs—Miss R. Barry, women's, children's gloves; Mrs. A. Chase, women's better grade Spring dresses; Miss Greer, assisting; basement—H. Liebes, jobs coats, dresses; 225 5th Av.; Breslin.

BOSTON—Wm. Filene's Sons Co.; basement; Mr. Ring, women's misses' dresses; Mr. Kiley, jobs inexpensive dresses; 225 5th Av.

BOSTON—Outlet Clothing Co.; S. Finkelstein, clothing; Breslin.

BOSTON—Shepard Stores; J. H. Fullerton, blankets, cottons, linens; H. Leahy, domestics, linens, blankets; Leo Murphy, silk, knit underwear; R. Robertson, representing; 230 5th Av. (F. Atkins); Bronteli.

BOSTON—E. Goldman & Co.; E. Goldman, mfgrs. duck clothing; Pennsylvania.

BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; basement—Miss F. Rubin, women's inexpensive millinery; 200 5th Av.; Room 602.

BOSTON—Schacht & Ladin; H. Ladin, Spring dresses, coats; Pennsylvania.

BOSTON—Jordan-Marsh Co.; E. P. Pierce, Upstairs—lace curtains, portieres; 432 4th Av.

BOSTON—Bortman, Fine; Mark Bortman, dresses; Pennsylvania.

BOSTON—Bedford Mfg. Co.; S. Goldberg, trimmings for girls' and junior dresses; 48 W. 34th.

BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; upstairs—Miss E. Minahan, girls' dresses, fancy blouses; 200 5th Av., Room 602.

BOSTON—J. Reiner; H. Reiner, Spring children's coats and dresses; Pennsylvania, Room 617.

BUFFALO—J. N. Adam & Co.; F. M. Snyder, wash goods; W. Filsinger, domestics, white goods; 17 E. 39th (Associated D. G. Corp.); 2d floor.

BUFFALO—Jenny Co.; Miss A. V. Welland, coats, suits, dresses; Pennsylvania.

BUFFALO—Wm. Heugerer Co.; J. F. Hart, wash goods, domestics; 17 E. 39th (Associated D. G. Corp.); 2d floor.

CHARLESTON, S. C.—M. Shahid & Co.; J. Shahid, better coats; 1,261 B'way (Merchants Buying Co.).

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—G. B. Cabaniss, ready-to-wear, waists, muslin underwear; Pennsylvania.

CHICAGO—Goodman Mercantile Co.; David Goodman, sweaters, coats; Pennsylvania.

CHICAGO—Martin J. Hill, coats, dresses; Pennsylvania.

CHICAGO—Kahn Bros.; A. Kahn, coats, suits; 38 W. 32d (Littman & Storch).

CHICAGO—Chas. Levine & Co.; C. Levine, children's Spring coats, dresses; 115 W. 30th (S. Self(f).

CHICAGO—Boston Store; Miss M. McGrath, millinery; 44 E. 23d.

CHICAGO—The Fair; Miss A. Leonard, upstairs misses', ladies' new Spring dresses; 225 4th Av.; Room 811.

CHICAGO—I. Plaut (jobbers); I. Abrams, crepe de chine, lace scarfs; 1,182 B'way (L. Levitan); Room 1,403.

CINCINNATI—Outlet Cloak & Suit Co.; I. Friedman, coats, suits, dresses, clothing; Pennsylvania.

CINCINNATI—The Big Store Annex; F. Adler, jobs trimmed hats for dollar day; 115 W. 30th (B. F. Levis).

COLUMBUS—Max H. Rieser Co.; Mrs. A. Reed, ready-to-wear; 1,170 B'way (Weisman & Miller); Pennsylvania.

DALLAS, Texas—Lichtenstein, Mittenthal Co.; L. Lichtenstein, Spring hats, feathers, ornaments; 9-11 A. M.; 131 W. 35th (J. Alexander).

DAYTON, Ohio—Johnston-Shelton Co.; J. Bresler, coats, suits, dresses, furs; 1,156 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

DATTON—Adler & Childs; S. Schaeffer, better bolivias and suede coats, beaver and squirrel trimmed; 131 W. 35th (Hoffman & Haribay).

DETROIT—J. L. Hudson Co.; P. Hysham, dresses, basement; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

DOTHAN, Ala.—S. R. May & Bro.; S. R. May, jobs evening and silk dresses closeouts; 116 W. 32d (O. A. Dreyfus).

HAZELTON, Pa.—New York Sample Shop; J. Schilling, children's velvet dresses, jobs stout cloth coats; 110 W. 34th, Room 606.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky.—S. Klein, squirrel trimmed coats; 1,261 B'way (Merchants' Buying Co.).

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—M. Bart, mdse. mgr.; 1,135 B'way (A. Berlin).

LANCASTER—Watt & Shand Co.; W.S. Sullivan, ready-to-wear; 432 4th Av. (D. G. Union).

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—Enro Shirt Co.; H. Rosenbaum, shirtings; Waldorf-Astoria.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—Stewart D. G. Co.; Miss B. Stevens, trimmed millinery; 17 E. 39th (Associated D. G. Corp.); 3d floor.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—E. Cohen & Son; squirrel trimmed coats; 1,261 B'way (Merchants' Buying Co.).

MILWAUKEE—Milwaukee Apparel Co.; L. Elsas, jobs children's dresses, women's, children's sweaters; 36 W. 29th (Frohman & Altman).

MINNEAPOLIS—Powers Merc. Co.; C. J. Coyle, silks, dress goods, velvets; 17 E. 39th (Associated D. G. Corp.). 3d floor.

MINNEAPOLIS—Dayton Co.; Mrs. Lincoln, popular-priced dresses; Miss Oldham, skirts, suits; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

MINNEAPOLIS—Whitney, MacGregor Co.; C. J. Peterson, floor coverings; 115 W. 30th (Weill & Hartmann).

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—Epstein, Henning & Co.; J. H. Epstein, ladies' and children's coats; 36 West 32d, 4th floor.

NEW HAVEN — Shartenberg & Robinson Co.); Miss B. Small, notions; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

OMAHA—Byrne, Hammer D. G. Co.; V. L. Webster, blankets, bedding, cotton piece goods; 73 Leonard (H. W. Pitsaugh); Collingwood.

PHILADELPHIA—Franklin Sweater Mills; A. H. Aiterman, yarns; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—Gimbel Brothers; D. Feldman, notions, dress forms; B'way and 32d New York Office); Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—Stetson Shirt Co.; H. Greenberg, shirtings; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—Excelsior Cloak Co.; N. Selbst, children's Spring coats; Breslin.

PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann & Baer Co.; J. S. Ecline, silks; Miss C. A. Toole, girls' coats, dresses; 404 4th Av. (J. Fleishman).

POTTSVILLE, Pa.—Tuckerman's; N. D. Tuckerman, ready-to-wear; Breslin.

RICHMOND—Miller & Rhoads, Inc.; L. B. Hyslup, domestics, flannels, &c.; 432 4th Av. (D. G. Union).

RICHMOND, Va.—Miller & Rhoads Co.; R. B. Underwood, men's furnishings; 432 4th Av. (D. G. Union); Pennsylvania.

ROCHESTER—Rothschild Mfg. Co.; J. Rosenberg, men's furnishings, notions; Pennsylvania.

ROCHESTER—B. Forman Co.; Mrs. M. Carroll, assisting, misses', juniors' dresses; Miss Culhane, inexpensive dresses; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio—Edward Wren Co.; R. R. Pendleton, ready-to-wear; 353 7th Av. (John M. Biggins, Inc.).

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio—The Hub; L. A. Anathan, better bolivias and suede coats, beaver and squirrel trimmed; 131 W. 35th (Hoffman & Hartbiay).

TERRE HAUTE, Ind.—Jame-Wolf Co.; M. Wolf, better bolivias and suede coats, beaver and squirrel trimmed; 131 W. 35th (Hoffman & Hartbiay).

TOLEDO—LaSalle & Koch Co.; H. J. Mason, silks, dress goods; B'way and 524 (E. H. Macy Building, 18th floor).

TOLEDO—Hugo Stein Cloak Co.; Miss O. Otto, furs; 215 W. 40th (Pennsylvania).

TOLEDO—Morris Povias, Inc.; M. Povias, sweaters; 36 W. 29th (Frohman & Altman).

TROY, N. Y.—Goldfarb & Moscov; H. Goldfarb, better bolivias and suede coats, beaver and squirrel trimmed; 131 W. 35th (Hoffman & Hartbiay).

WASHINGTON—Mandro, Inc.; Mrs. I. A. Spittall, coats, suits, skirts; 38 W. 32d (Littman & Storch).

WHEELING, W. Va.—The Hub; Mr. Elkan, better bolivias and suede coats, beaver and squirrel trimmed; 131 W. 35th (Hoffman & Hartbiay).

WHEELING, W. Va.—Geo. R. Taylor Co.; H. Lipp, coats, dresses; 112 W. 38th (National Dept. Stores, Inc.); 16th floor.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa.—Justin Bergman; J. Kimmelstiel, better bolivias and suede coats, beaver and squirrel trimmed; 131 W. 35th (Hoffman & Hartbiay).

WORCESTER, Mass.—Samuel Feingold & Sons; I. Feingold, dresses, coats, suits; Breslin.

# SAW GERMANY RECOVERING.

**Gates W. McGarrah Thinks People's Energy Will Overcome Obstacles.**

Germany faces a difficult situation in her program for economic recovery, but her people have manifested a willingness to carry out this program and their energy and resourcefulness are important factors in favor of the belief that she will recover, according to Gates W. McGarrah, the American member of the Board of Directors of the newly organized German Reichsbank. Mr. McGarrah, who is Chairman of the Mechanics & Metals National Bank, returned to his duties here yesterday after being abroad two months.

"General business in Germany is making good progress, and the outlook is encouraging," Mr. McGarrah said. "It will be well to remember there are several difficult situations to overcome, one being to reduce the cost of production. On the other hand, we must not underrate the energy and resourcefulness of the German people or their manifest willingness to carry out the program they have accepted.

"As trade expands, foreign credits and loans will be required, but undue haste to grant them is unwise. Furthermore, as I see it, German industry and business will not be helped by accepting large amounts of short-time direct accommodations from institutions in the United States which are not fully informed on all the requirements, and which compete quite unnecessarily with German banks.

"There are no doubt important economic problems in Europe awaiting the settlement of the Inter-Governmental debts. The bearing of all these problems not only on Europe's peace and prosperity, but on our own foreign trade relations makes the terms of the settlements of secondary importance."

# EXPECT BRISK AUTO TRADE.

**Makers Already Replenishing Stocks of Parts for Spring Demand.**

Manufacturers of automobiles have started thus early to replenish stocks of parts and accessories in anticipation of the Spring demand for cars, according to the current issue of Automotive Industries. "The volume of orders placed so far indicates an active manufacturing first quarter on the part of passenger-car builders and an immediate pick-up among parts makers," the paper says. The move toward replenishing stocks has come earlier in the month than was anticipated.

"Reports from automotive jobbers are encouraging, November showing a 10 per cent. increase over the corresponding month of last year. Healthy gains are shown among the jobbing houses identified with agricultural trade."

## BUYERS' WANTS.

*Fifteen cents per word each insertion.*

ANTIQUE bullion fringe also antique all-over laces Wanted, 4, 5 and 6 inch, for cash. Submit samples. J. W. Cohen, 538 S. Wabash Av., Chicago, Ill.

ARTIFICIAL SILK Wanted—150 denier. Call Madison Square 8960, Mr. Raphaels.

BOLIVIA Wanted — Velverette. Orchard 7375.

CLOTH Wanted—Flannel, black, white, high shades; also suedes and velours; quantities. Small-Ginsberg, 10 West 33d.

CLOTH Wanted—Buckley and Cohen 800, velcut, in all shades. Rosenfeld & Son., 115 West 29th. Pennsylvania 0630.

CLOTH Wanted—16052, 13909, 13125, 11020 or similar; also heavyweight polaires; quantity; cash. Watkins 5886.

CLOTHS Wanted—16052, any quantity, for cash. United Cloak Co., 27 West 20th.

CLOTH Wanted—Polaires, cranberry shade only. I. Wasserman, 151 West 30th.

CLOTH Wanted—American 13392, all colors. Victor Everett, Watkins 2620.

CLOTH Wanted—American 15221-98, border cloths. Lackawanna 5830.

CLOTH Wanted — Polin, Amoskeag, navy, rust; quantity; at price. Lackawanna 5732.

CLOTH Wanted—Botany, yamara, all colors. Edward A. Peppercorn, 164 West 25th.

COATS Wanted—Large jobber placing Spring stock orders on better-grade girls' and juniors' coats; bring samples. 224 West 35th, 2d floor.

COATS Wanted—Better made Spring coats for immediate use; mornings only. 142 West 36th, 16th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on better grade all week. One flight up, 36 West 32d.

COATS Wanted—We are looking at misses' and junior Spring coats; mornings only. 333 7th Av., 19th floor, 29th St. side.

COATS, Suits Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring samples. Burtman & Herstein, 132 West 36th.

COATS and Suits Wanted—Open for discarded samples Spring coats and suits. Phone Lackawanna 3993.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring coats and suits, 7th floor, 22 West 26th.

COATS Wanted—Looking at ladies' and misses' Spring coats. 5 West 32d, 9th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring samples of infants', children's and juniors' coats. 36 West 32d, 4th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking children's, juniors' snappy Spring models; mornings only. 114 West 26th, 7th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring children's, jubbers', ladies' coats. 1261 West 36th, first floor.

COATS, Suits Wanted—Spring jobber placing orders. Emerson Garment Co., 1,367 B'way.

COATS Wanted—Looking at better class Spring coats. 55th 7th Av., 1st floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring samples. 9th floor, 134 West 37th.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at misses' and juniors'. D. Strauss, 121 W. 27th.

COATS Wanted—Better grade Spring coats. Schneider & Miller, 39 West 32d.

COATS Wanted—Kashoni and bengaline. 36 floor, 155 West 26th.

COATS Wanted—Ladies' for export; not over $3; cash. M 104 Times.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—Spot cash, quantity no object. H. M. Klopp, 406 Broadway.

COTTON Goods Wanted—All kinds at a price. Phone Canal 5084.

DOG COLLARS Wanted—Several hundred for spot cash. Watkins 3045.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking for Spring line of junior and misses' dresses; placing stock orders. See Mr. Fehrandt, 46 West 23d, 1st floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking for popular priced Spring line of silk and novelty dresses. Call after 10 o'clock, 5th floor, 118 West 27th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on better grade cotton dresses, also novelty materials. See Mr. Kramer, 99 Madison Av., 4th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing stock orders new Spring silks, misses', women's dresses; bring samples. Meinick, 119 West 33d.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking for popular price Spring line silk and novelty dresses. Call 9-12 daily, 1,261 Broadway, Room 906.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at better grade Spring dresses, satins, georgettes and flat crepes. 22 West 26th, 11th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders new styles, printed silk material. See Mr. Marcus, Fanay Dress, 29 West 32d.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing stock orders on better Spring dresses only, all materials. 333 7th Av., 18th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobs silks, cloth, discarded samples; highest prices; spot cash. Tel. Cohen, Lackawanna 6431.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on new silk dresses; bring samples. 118 West 27th, 4th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders on Spring samples in all materials. 6th floor, 148 West 37th.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing large orders on new silks. 46 West 27th, 4th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobs any quantity, all materials. Penn. 1456.

DRESSES Wanted—Better grade silk for spot cash. Longacre 3545.

*Consult the following advertisements for merchandise buyers.*

# Buyers' Wants—Offerings to Buyers

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## BUYERS' WANTS.

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DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber now placing stock orders on new Spring silks and novelty materials; also evening dresses; samples 9-5 daily. 28 West 32d, 5th floor. Pennsylvania 6330.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders on snappy styles in women's silk dresses, to wholesale from $16.75 to $25.75; must be well made and have lots of style. Princess, 240 West 36th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobs any quantity; all materials; spot cash. Lackawanna 6389.

FLANNELS Wanted—Juilliards 542, all colors. Rainbow, 31 East 31st.

FURS Wanted—Squirrel, plate, belly, all shades, cash, any quantity; also squirrel paws. Arrow Novelty Co., 28 West 31st.

FURS Wanted—Beaver and squirrel collars and sets for cash. Chas. Gottlieb, 498 7th Av.

FURS Wanted—Dog sets, collars and cuffs at a price for cash. I. B. Sapiro, 333 7th Av.

FURS Wanted—Open for quantity Mandel sets, collars and cuffs, at a price. Brous Bros., 1,370 Broadway.

FURS Wanted—Beaver, squirrel collars and collars-cuffs; quantities for cash. Small-Ginsberg, 10 West 33d.

FURS Wanted—Collars and cuffs, squirrel, foxes, wolves, silk, dogs. Marcus Klepper Co., 34 West 27th.

FURS Wanted—Large quantity of dog sets; also squirrel and natural opossum. Louis

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# FINANCIAL MARKETS

## Further Advance in Stocks, Railway Shares Leading—A Few Sharp Declines.

Speculation for the rise was resumed on the Stock Exchange yesterday, and advances of 2 or 3 points or more were numerous. Even the "averages" moved up more than a point and a half into new high ground, but closing prices showed half of that early gain to have been canceled. It was, in fact, again a market in which declines of considerable scope occurred simultaneously with rapid advances. Something like thirty separate stocks gained as much as 2 points for the day, but in eight others there were equally large declines. Perhaps the character of the trading was fairly illustrated by the fact that, while one industrial "specialty" advanced 6 points under exceptionally heavy buying, another declined 8 points on sales of 200 shares.

The day's movement really converged, however, on the railway shares, in which advances ranging from 2 points upward were numerous; the high-priced shares being this time rather conspicuous points of strength. It is difficult to doubt that the progress of the "Nickel-Plate" merger negotiations, and the exceedingly random inferences drawn regarding other projects of the kind, are at the bottom of much of this railway share speculation. Few people deny that the railway outlook has until lately been much misjudged and the intrinsic value of the properties much underrated, but blind "discounting" of the terms which are imagined as likely to be offered for future amalgamations is perilous. In 1901, one railway wishing to buy another used to offer openly a price far above the market or else bid for its stock against the speculators; issuing collateral trust bonds to pay the price or effect the exchange, and sometimes (as in Union Pacific's case) mortgaging its own property heavily to raise the money. But this is not 1901. Not only are there nowadays two stubborn parties to every bargain of this kind, but the Commerce Commission has a voice in every such proposal.

Wheat prices, like the stock market "averages," again moved forward into new high ground yesterday; this again occurring without either crop estimates or news of export purchases such as would naturally stimulate the market. On the contrary, Tuesday's final estimate of the Agricultural Department had added 16,000,000 bushels to the last previous forecast of the wheat yield, which was itself larger by 46,000,000 than the August estimate and 183,000,000 above the estimate of June. The forthcoming report on planted Winter-wheat acreage is also likely to produce large figures.

The midweek reports on the steel trade's progress show the industry to be producing now at 80 per cent. of capacity, a ratio not matched since the downward turn of activity grew emphatic in early April. The present rate is still 10 per cent. under that of last March and 11 per cent. less than in the Spring of 1923. But it compares with an active capacity of barely 66 per cent. last October, with 45 in August and with 40 or less in July, and it exceeds the rate of twelve months ago for the first time in the current year.

This happens, so The Iron Age points out, at a time of year when steel production usually slows down. It has been accompanied by larger specifications from buyers than had been expected in December and by the discovery that, for the first time in many months, some of the mills are "getting behind in deliveries." The whole movement of the trade since election day has presented the picture of normal and intelligent expansion—such as might have been foreshadowed by the stock market's advance in August. Whether the more recent and much more excited demonstrations on the Stock Exchange should be held to foreshadow a trade movement, later on, like that which occurred at the beginning of 1923, is still debatable.

## MONEY.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17, 1924.

Time money featured the money market, the insistent demand of borrowers for the distant maturities pushing the lenders' charge to 4 per cent. for five-six months' accommodation, a new high on the present movement and the highest since early last June. The bid was 3¾ per cent., but nothing came out better than 4. There was a little sixty-day funds placed at 3½, and some ninety-days' at 3¾. Call money again prevailed at 3 per cent. as on Tuesday, while in the outside market 2½ per cent. was the charge. Money was freely offered, but there was only a nominal inquiry.

**Call Loans.**

| | Tuesday's | Year |
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| Renewals. | High. | Low. | Last. | Last. | Ago. |
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**Time Loans.**

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|---|---|---|
| Sixty-ninety days | 3½@3¾ | 3¾ |
| Four, five and six months | 3½@3¾ | 3¾ |

**Commercial Paper.**

| | Wednesday. | Tuesday. |
|---|---|---|
| Best names, 4 to 6 months | 3½@3¾ | 3½@3¾ |
| Other names, 4 to 6 mos. | 4 | 4 |

**Rediscount Rate, Reserve Bank.**

Rate on all classes of rediscountable paper, 3 per cent. Rate fixed Aug. 8, when it was reduced from 3½ per cent.

**Bankers' Acceptances.**

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Call loans against acceptances | 2% | |
| Prime bankers' acceptances, eligible for purchase or rediscount by Federal Reserve Banks. Rates quoted are for discount at purchase. | | |
| 30 days | 2% | 2% |
| 60 days | 2% | 2% |
| 90 days | 2% | 2% |
| Four months | 2½ | 2½ |
| Six months | 2½ | 2½ |
| Non-member and private bankers, 60-90 days | 3½ | 3¾ |

**London Market.**

Money in London ½ up at 3¼ per cent.; short bills ⅛ up at 3⅛@3¼ per cent.; three months' bills ⅛ up at 3⅛ per cent.

Gold bullion 1d up at 85s 10d per fine ounce. Taking the British Mint standard price of 85s per fine ounce as par, the market quotation of gold would represent a London price of 104¼. Highest for the year to date, 115 1-8, on Jan. 21; lowest, 104, on Dec. 9. The highest price since open trading in gold was resumed at London in September, 1919, was 148¾, on Feb. 4, 1920; the lowest, 102⅝, on Feb. 21, 1923.

**Clearing House Exchanges.**

Exchanges of checks at the New York Clearing House, $1,103,000,000; balances, $135,000,000; Federal Reserve credit balance, $100,000,000; exchanges this day a year ago, $768,000,000.

## SILVER BULLION.

Bar silver in London unchanged at 32 1/16d per ounce; New York price ⅛c up at 67⅜c.

**Range for 1924:**

| | Highest. | Lowest. |
|---|---|---|
| London | 36 1/16d. Oct. 9 | 32 1/16d. Apr. 7 |
| New York | 72⅜c. Oct. 9 | 62⅛c. Jan. 11 |

**Range for 1923:**

| | Highest. | Lowest. |
|---|---|---|
| London | 33 1/16d. Dec. 13 | 29 1/16d. Feb. 8 |
| New York | 69⅜c. Mar. 31 | 52⅛c. July 25 |

# NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1924.

| Day's Sales. | Tuesday. | Monday. | A Year Ago. | Two Years Ago. | Year to Date. | Same Period 1923. | 1922. | 1921. | 1920. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1,907,815 | 1,916,860 | 1,707,004 | 1,008,682 | 828,470 | 265,749,313 | 226,645,868 | 251,706,697 | 165,908,584 | 217,197,077 |

| 1924 High. | 1924 Low. | Sales. | Stock and Dividend Rate. | First. | High. | Low. | Last. | Net Ch'ge. | Closing Bid. | Closing Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 16⅝ | 6 | 400 | Advance Rumely | 15⅝ | 16 | 15½ | 15⅝ | — ⅛ | 15 | 15½ |
| 64 | 23¾ | 100 | Advance Rumely pf. (3) | 51½ | 51½ | 51½ | 51½ | | 50 | 51½ |
| 83 | 67⅛ | 100 | Air Reduction (75) | 89⅜ | 89⅜ | 89⅜ | 89⅜ | + ⅛ | 89 | 89½ |
| 14½ | 4½ | 1,600 | Ajax Rubber | 13⅞ | 13⅞ | 13⅝ | 13⅝ | — ⅛ | 13⅝ | 13¾ |
| .25 | .10 | 300 | Alaska Gold Mines | .12 | .12 | .12 | .12 | .00½ | .11 | .12 |
| 1½ | ⅛ | 400 | Alaska Juneau | 1¼ | 1¼ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | | .1 | 1¼ |
| 120 | 99⅞ | 100 | All American Cables (6) | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | + 7 | 115 | 120 |
| 87½ | 45 | 4,900 | Allied Chem. & Dye (4) | 84 | 85 | 83⅝ | 84½ | + ½ | 84 | 84½ |
| 73½ | 31⅝ | 8,200 | Allis-Chalmers Mfg. (4) | 72 | 73⅝ | 71⅞ | 71⅞ | + ½ | 71⅜ | 71⅞ |
| 104 | 90 | 100 | Allis-Chalmers Mfg. pf. (7) | 104 | 104 | 104 | 104 | | 104½ | 104⅞ |
| 17½ | 7½ | 900 | Am. Agricultural Chem. | 14⅝ | 14⅝ | 13⅝ | 13⅝ | — 1 | 13⅝ | 14 |
| 49½ | 18⅜ | 1,300 | Am. Agricul. Chem. pf. | 39⅞ | 39⅞ | 38½ | 38⅝ | — 1⅜ | 40 | 40 |
| 48½ | 30 | 1,600 | Am. Best Sugar (4) | 43½ | 43½ | 43 | 43 | — ½ | 43 | 43½ |
| 39½ | 22¾ | 4,000 | Am. Bosch Magneto | 34⅝ | 34⅝ | 33¾ | 34 | — ⅛ | 33¾ | 33¾ |
| 91½ | 76 | 300 | Am. Brake Shoe & Fdy. (5) | 89 | 89 | 89 | 89 | | 87 | 89 |
| 110 | 104¾ | 100 | Am. Br. S. & Fdy. pf. (7) | 107¼ | 107¼ | 107¼ | 107¼ | — 1 | 107 | 110 |
| 155½ | 97¾ | 39,900 | American Can (16) | 151¾ | 153¾ | 150⅝ | 151¼ | + 1¾ | 151¼ | 151⅝ |
| 194⅝ | 153½ | 700 | Am. Car & Fdy. (12) | 190⅝ | 191¾ | 190 | 191¼ | + 1 | 190 | 191 |
| 135 | 118¾ | 100 | Am. Car & Fdy. pf. (7) | 123 | 123 | 123 | 123 | — 1 | 122 | 124 |
| 25 | 21⅛ | 200 | Am. Chain, Class A (3) | 24 | 24 | 24 | 24 | | 24 | 24½ |
| 47⅞ | 14⅜ | 1,300 | American Chicle | 40¾ | 40⅝ | 39 | 39 | — 1⅛ | 39 | 40 |
| 39 | 23 | 400 | American Chicle pf. | 38⅝ | 39 | 38⅝ | 38⅝ | + ⅛ | 39½ | 40 |
| 151¾ | 68 | 400 | American Express (8) | 148 | 148 | 148 | 148 | | 145 | 148½ |
| 121¾ | 93 | 1,900 | Am. & For. Pw. 2nd pf. (7) | 119½ | 121¾ | 119½ | 121¾ | + 2⅜ | 121 | 121¾ |
| 123 | 91½ | 600 | Am. & For Pw. full pd. (7) | 120½ | 122 | 120½ | 122 | + 1½ | 121½ | 124 |
| 14⅝ | 7¾ | 100 | Am. Hide & Leather | 13⅞ | 13⅝ | 13⅞ | 13⅝ | | 13 | 14 |
| 72⅝ | 50½ | 200 | Am. Hide & Leather pf. | 70 | 70 | 70 | 70 | | 69½ | 70 |
| 96 | 72 | 600 | American Ice (7) | 88½ | 89½ | 87½ | 87½ | — 1 | 87½ | 88 |
| 88 | 76⅝ | 100 | American Ice pf. (6) | 77⅞ | 77⅞ | 77⅞ | 77⅞ | + ⅜ | 77 | 78 |
| 35⅝ | 17⅝ | 2,100 | American International | 33⅜ | 35⅛ | 33¼ | 33¾ | | 33¾ | 33⅞ |
| 13¾ | 10 | 800 | Am. La F. Fire Eng. (1) | 11⅜ | 11⅜ | 11⅛ | 11⅛ | | 11 | 11½ |
| 102 | 85 | 100 | Am. La F. Fire Eng. pf. (7) | 98 | 98 | 98 | 98 | | 97 | 99 |
| 28½ | 13⅜ | 1,200 | American Linseed | 26 | 26 | 26 | 26 | + ⅛ | 25½ | 26 |
| 48 | 30 | 300 | American Linseed pf. | 45⅝ | 46⅜ | 45⅝ | 45⅝ | + ⅛ | 45 | 46 |
| 91½ | 70½ | 12,400 | Am. Locomotive (6) | 89 | 91½ | 89 | 91 | + 2⅜ | 90⅜ | 91 |
| 120½ | 116¼ | 200 | Am. Locomotive pf. (7) | 120¼ | 120¼ | 120¼ | 120¼ | + 1⅛ | 119 | 120¼ |
| 51½ | 38⅝ | 1,300 | American Metal (3) | 50 | 50 | 49⅝ | 50 | — ⅛ | 49⅝ | 50 |
| 83 | 77⅛ | 300 | Am. Ry. Express (6) | 79⅝ | 80 | 79⅜ | 80 | + ⅛ | 79⅜ | 82 |
| 40⅝ | 35⅜ | 900 | Am. Safety Razor | 35⅝ | 35⅝ | 35⅝ | 35⅝ | | 33⅝ | 36¼ |
| 15⅝ | 10⅝ | 900 | Am. Ship & Commerce | 12⅞ | 12½ | 12½ | 12½ | | 12⅜ | 13 |
| 89⅞ | 87½ | 4,400 | Am. Smelt. & Ref. (5) | 88⅝ | 89⅜ | 88⅜ | 88⅝ | — ⅛ | 88⅝ | 88⅞ |
| 108⅞ | 98 | 200 | Am. Smelt. & Ref. pf. (7) | 105⅝ | 105⅝ | 105⅛ | 105⅛ | — ⅛ | 105¼ | 105⅝ |
| 153 | 124 | 100 | American Snuff (10) | 149 | 149 | 149 | 149 | + 1½ | 145 | 149 |
| 44½ | 33⅝ | 2,400 | Am. Steel Foundrie (3) | 43 | 43 | 43⅝ | 43⅝ | — ⅛ | 43⅝ | 44 |
| 61⅜ | 36 | 17,700 | Am. Sugar Refining | 54 | 54⅝ | 52¾ | 53 | | 53 | 53⅝ |
| 90⅞ | 77 | 200 | Am. Sugar Ref. pf. (7) | 92 | 92⅝ | 92 | 92⅜ | + ⅛ | 92½ | 93 |
| 28⅞ | 6⅝ | 2,200 | Am. Sumatra Tobacco | 12⅝ | 14 | 12⅝ | 13⅝ | + ⅛ | 13½ | 14 |
| 23½ | 22½ | 200 | Am. Sumatra Tob. pf. | 41 | 42 | 41 | 41 | + 1½ | 41 | 43 |
| 134 | 121¼ | 2,200 | Am. Tel. & Tel. (9) | 133⅜ | 134 | 132⅝ | 133⅝ | — ⅜ | 133½ | 134 |
| 88 | 82½ | 5,500 | American Tobacco | 87⅞ | 88 | 87⅛ | 87⅝ | — ⅛ | 87⅝ | 87⅞ |
| 87⅜ | 81¼ | 15,700 | Am. Tob., Class B | 85½ | 87⅜ | 85 | 86⅝ | + 1 | 86 | 86⅞ |
| 40⅝ | 24 | 18,800 | Am. W. W. & Electric | 39 | 40⅜ | 38½ | 39⅝ | + 1 | 39 | 40 |
| 102 | 66 | 200 | Do participating pf. (6) | 101 | 101 | 101 | 101 | + 1 | 101 | 101½ |
| 118½ | 114¼ | 39,200 | American Woolen | 64⅜ | 66 | 63¾ | 65½ | + 1⅝ | 65½ | 65⅝ |
| 102⅜ | 90 | 200 | American Woolen pf. (7) | 96¾ | 96¾ | 96¾ | 96¾ | + ¼ | 96 | 97 |
| 7 | 1⅜ | 100 | Am. Writing Paper pf. | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | | 4½ | 5 |
| 11½ | 7 | 300 | American Zinc, L. & S. | 10½ | 10⅞ | 10½ | 10⅝ | + ⅛ | 10⅜ | 10⅝ |
| 35 | 24 | 300 | American Zinc, L. & S. pf. | 34½ | 34½ | 34½ | 34½ | — ½ | 33 | 34½ |
| 49⅝ | 29½ | 5,000 | Anaconda Copper | 42 | 42¾ | 41½ | 41⅝ | — ⅛ | 41⅝ | 42¼ |
| 28 | 22¾ | 100 | Ann Arbor pf. | 43 | 43 | 43 | 43 | — 2½ | 42 | 45 |
| 21⅝ | 14 | 200 | Armour & Co. Del pf. (7) | 93¼ | 94 | 93¼ | 94 | | 90 | 94 |
| 17½ | 10 | 400 | Arnold, Constable & Co. | 8⅝ | 8⅝ | 8⅝ | 8⅝ | — ⅛ | 8⅝ | 8⅝ |
| 50 | 39½ | 100 | Associated Dry Goods (5) | 136 | 136 | 136 | 136 | | 136 | 137 |
| 69¾ | 44⅝ | 100 | Asso. Dry Goods 1st pf. (6) | 94 | 94 | 94 | 94 | + ½ | 94 | 95 |
| 34⅝ | 27¼ | 100 | Associated Oil (1½) | 31½ | 31½ | 31 | 31⅜ | — ⅛ | 31 | 31½ |
| 120⅜ | 97¼ | 3,700 | Atch., Top. & S. Fe (6) | 119 | 119⅝ | 118⅝ | 119 | + ⅛ | 119½ | 119⅝ |
| 105 | 86½ | 200 | Atch., Top. & S. Fe pf. (5) | 94½ | 95 | 94½ | 95 | | 94½ | 95 |
| 6 | 5 | 1,000 | Atlantic, Birm. & Atl. | 5⅝ | 5⅝ | 5⅝ | 5⅝ | — ⅛ | 5⅝ | 5⅝ |
| 149⅝ | 112 | 2,300 | Atlantic Coast Line (16) | 144 | 146¾ | 144 | 146¼ | + 1 | 146 | 147 |
| 23 | 10⅝ | 3,800 | Atlantic, Gulf & W.Indies | 20⅝ | 22⅜ | 19⅝ | 22⅜ | + 1 | 22 | 22⅝ |
| 29½ | 12⅞ | 900 | Atl., Gulf & W. Indies pf. | 28½ | 28½ | 27½ | 28½ | | 28 | 29 |
| 70 | 75⅞ | 200 | Atlantic Refining | 90¾ | 90¾ | 89½ | 90 | | 90 | 90½ |
| 6 | 3 | 6,200 | Atlas Tack | 5 | 5 | 4⅝ | 5 | + ⅛ | 4⅝ | 5 |
| 83½ | 18¾ | 2,100 | Austin Nichols | 31½ | 31½ | 31 | 31⅛ | + ⅛ | 31⅛ | 31¾ |
| 4⅝ | 3 | 200 | Auto Sales | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ | | 3½ | 6 |
| 15⅝ | 11⅝ | 300 | Auto Sales pf. | 15 | 15½ | 15 | 15⅜ | + 1¼ | 14 | 16 |
| 181 | 104⅜ | 10,300 | Baldwin Locomotive (7) | 125¾ | 125¾ | 123⅜ | 124⅞ | | 124⅜ | 125 |
| 64⅞ | 52⅜ | 44,500 | Baltimore & Ohio (5) | 62 | 64⅝ | 62 | 63⅝ | + 2 | 63⅝ | 63¾ |
| 55½ | 54¼ | 1,900 | Baltimore & Ohio pf. (4) | 64½ | 65¼ | 64½ | 65 | | 65 | 65½ |
| 44½ | 40⅝ | 6,600 | Bangor & Aroostook (3) | 42⅝ | 44¼ | 42⅝ | 42⅝ | — ⅛ | 42⅝ | 43 |
| 38 | 22½ | 300 | Barnet Leather | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 | — ¼ | 36 | 40 |
| 21⅝ | 14 | 500 | Barnsdall, Class A | 19⅝ | 19⅝ | 19½ | 19¼ | — ⅛ | 19½ | 19¾ |
| 16¼ | 10 | 500 | Barnsdall, Class B | 15 | 15 | 14⅞ | 14⅞ | — ¼ | 14 | 15 |
| 59 | 39½ | 100 | Bayuk Cigars | 47¾ | 47¾ | 47½ | 47½ | | 47 | 48 |
| 69¾ | 44⅝ | 1,600 | Beech-Nut Packing (3) | 57⅞ | 58 | 57⅞ | 58 | — ⅛ | 57⅞ | 58 |
| 62¾ | 37⅝ | 5,000 | Bethlehem Steel | 49 | 49¾ | 48¾ | 49¾ | + ⅛ | 48¾ | 49 |
| 97 | 88½ | 300 | Bethlehem Steel pf. (7) | 94½ | 95 | 94½ | 95 | | 94 | 95 |
| 7⅞ | 3½ | 400 | Booth Fisheries | 5⅝ | 5⅝ | 5⅝ | 5⅝ | | 5⅝ | 5⅝ |
| 42½ | 29 | 100 | Booth Fisheries 1st pf. | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | | 30½ | 34 |
| 124½ | 107¼ | 200 | Bklyn.-Edison Electric (6) | 120¾ | 122 | 120¾ | 122 | — ⅜ | 121 | 122¾ |
| 141¾ | 131 | 1,500 | Bklyn.-Manhattan Transit | 139 | 139¾ | 138¾ | 139¾ | | 139 | 139½ |
| 75⅜ | 48⅝ | 300 | Bklyn.-Manh. Tran. pf. (6) | 73 | 73 | 72¾ | 72¾ | — ⅛ | 72¾ | 73 |
| 82⅝ | 56⅜ | 4,000 | Brooklyn Union Gas (4) | 81¼ | 81¾ | 80¾ | 80¾ | — ⅝ | 80 | 81 |
| 76½ | 39 | 200 | Brown Shoe (4) | 70 | 70 | 70 | 70 | | 70¾ | 71 |
| 99¾ | 84 | 100 | Brown Shoe pf. (7) | 97 | 97 | 97 | 97 | — 2 | 97 | 98 |
| 1 | 1 | 1,600 | Brunswick Ter. & Ry. Sec. | 1⅝ | 1⅝ | 1⅝ | 1⅝ | | 1⅝ | 1⅝ |
| 87½ | 70¼ | 100 | Buff., Roch. & Pitts. pf. (6) | 87½ | 87½ | 87½ | 87½ | + 1 | 80 | 87½ |
| 125 | 88 | 100 | Buff. & Susquehan. (19½) | 86 | 86 | 86 | 86 | — 1 | 80 | 85 |
| 112¾ | 97⅛ | 600 | Burns Brothers (10) | 101¾ | 101¾ | 100 | 100⅜ | — 1¼ | 100 | 100⅝ |
| 99¾ | 95¾ | 100 | Burns Brothers pf. (7) | 98⅜ | 98⅜ | 98⅜ | 98⅜ | — ⅛ | 98 | 100 |
| 29 | 19⅝ | 900 | Burns Bros., Cl. B (2) | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | | 22½ | 23 |
| 97¼ | 50½ | 100 | Burroughs Add. Mach. (3) | 63 | 65 | 63 | 65 | + 2 | 63 | 65 |
| 9¾ | 3⅝ | 2,200 | Butte Cop. & Zinc. (50c.) | 8⅝ | 8⅝ | 8 | 8¼ | — ⅛ | 8 | 8¼ |
| 21⅝ | 14 | 1,700 | Butte & Superior | 21½ | 21⅝ | 20⅝ | 20⅝ | — ⅛ | 20⅜ | 21 |
| 23⅜ | 17 | 300 | Butterick Co. | 21 | 21¼ | 21 | 21¼ | | 21 | 21¾ |
| 4⅞ | 1 | 350 | Caddo Cent. O. & R. | 1¼ | 1¼ | 1¼ | 1¼ | | 1¼ | 1⅝ |
| 104½ | 80 | 300 | California Packing (5) | 101 | 103¼ | 101 | 103¼ | + 1 | 102 | 103 |
| 29½ | 19¼ | 1,700 | California Petroleum (1⅜) | 22 | 22⅝ | 22 | 22⅝ | + ⅛ | 22½ | 22⅝ |
| 6⅝ | 2⅝ | 800 | Callahan Zinc & Lead | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4⅛ | 4⅛ | | 4 | 4⅛ |
| 19½ | 13⅞ | 200 | Calumet & Hecla (50c.) | 17 | 17 | 16⅞ | 17 | | 16⅞ | 17 |
| 156⅝ | 142⅝ | 1,500 | Canadian Pacific (10) | 150⅝ | 151¼ | 150⅝ | 151 | + ⅛ | 150⅝ | 151 |
| 55 | 14 | 400 | Case (J. I.) Thresh. Mach. | 31½ | 31½ | 30 | 30¼ | — 1 | 29 | 31 |
| 77 | 40 | 100 | Case (J.I.) Thresh. pf. | 69 | 69 | 69 | 69 | | 66 | 69 |
| 21⅝ | 9⅝ | 1,700 | Central Leather Co. | 20½ | 21¾ | 20¼ | 20¼ | — ½ | 20¼ | 20⅝ |
| 58¾ | 29¼ | 1,800 | Central Leather Co. pf. | 55 | 55 | 55 | 55 | — ½ | 55 | 55¾ |
| 295 | 199 | 1,400 | C. R. R. of N. J. (12) | 290 | 292¾ | 288 | 288 | — 6 | 283 | 288 |
| 85¼ | 225⅜ | 300 | Century Ribbon Mills (2) | 31 | 32 | 31 | 32 | | 30 | 32 |
| 53 | 40⅜ | 2,600 | Cerro de Pasco Copper (4) | 51 | 51 | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | — ⅛ | 50 | 51 |
| 44½ | 24⅞ | 6,900 | Certain-teed Products | 41⅝ | 44½ | 41⅝ | 44 | + 2½ | 43¾ | 44 |
| 66⅞ | 26⅝ | 500 | Chandler Motor (8) | 33¾ | 36 | 35⅝ | 35⅝ | — ⅛ | 36 | 36¼ |
| 98¼ | 67⅜ | 10,300 | Chesapeake & Ohio (4) | 95¼ | 96¼ | 95¼ | 96 | + ⅛ | 95¾ | 96 |
| 109¾ | 99½ | 100 | Chesapeake & Ohio pf. (6½) | 107 | 107 | 107 | 107 | | 107 | 107¼ |
| 39 | 24 | 1,100 | Chicago & Alton | 9¼ | 9¼ | 9¼ | 9¼ | | 9 | 9¼ |
| 19⅝ | 8½ | 2,700 | Chicago & Alton pf. | 17⅝ | 18⅜ | 17⅝ | 18¼ | + ⅛ | 18 | 18¼ |
| 38 | 21 | 800 | Chicago & East. Illinois | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 | | 34 | 37 |
| 62⅝ | 37 | 2,700 | Chicago & East. Illinois pf | 56⅝ | 58 | 56⅝ | 57⅞ | + 1⅜ | 57½ | 58 |
| 11⅝ | 4 | 3,100 | Chicago Great Western | 9 | 10 | 9 | 9¼ | | 9 | 9½ |
| 31⅝ | 10¾ | 1,000 | Chicago Great Western pf. | 28 | 28 | 28 | 28 | + 1 | 23 | 29½ |
| 18⅝ | 10⅞ | 11,200 | Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul | 16⅜ | 16⅝ | 16⅛ | 16⅛ | + ⅛ | 16¼ | 16⅜ |
| 28⅝ | 15⅛ | 18,800 | Chicago, Mil. & St. P. pf. | 28⅝ | 28⅝ | 28⅜ | 28⅜ | + ⅛ | 28⅜ | 28½ |
| 75⅜ | 49¼ | 6,700 | Chicago & N. W. (4) | 74 | 75 | 74 | 74⅜ | + 2 | 74½ | 74⅝ |
| 100 | 100 | 100 | Chicago & N. W. pf. (7) | 114 | 114 | 114 | 114 | | 113 | 115 |
| 50 | 21½ | 28,500 | Chicago, R. I. & Pacific | 46⅞ | 48 | 46⅜ | 47⅝ | | 47¼ | 47⅝ |
| 91¾ | 70¾ | 900 | Chicago, R. I. & P. (7) | 84 | 84½ | 84 | 84½ | | 83½ | 84 |
| 87½ | 65⅝ | 400 | Chicago, R. I. & P. pf. (6) | 84 | 86 | 83⅝ | 85⅜ | + ⅛ | 83⅝ | 84 |
| 94 | 68⅝ | 200 | C., St. P., M. & O. pf. (5) | 91 | 93¼ | 91 | 93¼ | | 82 | 94 |
| 61⅝ | 38 | 100 | Chicago Yellow Cab (4) | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | | 50 | 50½ |
| 28⅞ | 25⅜ | 4,800 | Chile Copper (2½) | 34¼ | 34¾ | 34 | 34 | — ⅛ | 34 | 34½ |
| 29⅝ | 15 | 2,200 | Chino Copper | 25⅝ | 26⅜ | 25⅝ | 26⅛ | — ⅛ | 25⅝ | 26 |
| 75¾ | 55 | 300 | Cluett, Peabody (5) | 58½ | 59¾ | 58½ | 59¾ | | 58½ | 60 |
| 105½ | 100⅛ | 100 | Cluett, Peabody pf. (7) | 103¾ | 103¾ | 103¾ | 103¾ | | 103 | 104 |
| 83⅞ | 61 | 600 | Coca-Cola (7) | 80¾ | 80¾ | 80¾ | 80¾ | + ¼ | 80¼ | 80½ |
| 54⅝ | 24¼ | 29,800 | Colorado Fuel & Iron | 44⅛ | 46⅜ | 43 | 44¼ | + ⅜ | 43¾ | 43⅝ |
| 49 | 27⅝ | 100 | Colorado & Southern | 43¾ | 43¾ | 43¾ | 43¾ | | 47 | 47⅝ |
| 46⅞ | 33 | 12,400 | Colorado & So. 1st (4.50) | 40⅝ | 40⅝ | 40 | 40⅛ | — ⅝ | 40¼ | 40⅜ |
| 104 | 103⅛ | 200 | Columbia G. & E. pf. (7) | 103¾ | 104 | 103⅝ | 104 | | 103⅞ | 104⅜ |
| 55⅝ | 30⅝ | 700 | Columbian Carbon (6) | 50 | 50 | 49¾ | 49¾ | — ⅛ | 49¾ | 49¾ |
| 131⅞ | 43⅞ | 800 | Commercial Solvents A (4) | 123⅜ | 131¼ | 123⅜ | 124¾ | + 6¼ | 120 | 125 |
| 128½ | 33 | 2,500 | Commercial Solvents B | 119 | 128½ | 119 | 127 | + 7¼ | 120¼ | 123 |
| 26⅝ | 22⅜ | 1,600 | Congoum-Nairn (3) | 42⅝ | 44⅝ | 42⅝ | 43¾ | + 1 | 43½ | 44 |
| 14⅞ | 7⅜ | 600 | Conley Tin Foil | 13½ | 14 | 13½ | 14 | + ½ | 13⅞ | 14 |
| 1¾ | 1¼ | 1,400 | Consolidated Distributors | 1⅝ | 1⅝ | 1⅝ | 1⅝ | — ⅛ | 1⅝ | 1¾ |
| 79⅝ | 60⅞ | 5,600 | Consolidated Gas (5) | 77⅝ | 77⅝ | 77⅜ | 77⅜ | — ⅜ | 77⅜ | 77½ |
| 8 | 2⅜ | 2,400 | Consolidated Textile | 4⅝ | 4⅝ | 4⅝ | 4⅝ | | 4⅝ | 4⅝ |
| 67¼ | 42⅝ | 16,000 | Continental Can (4) | 65¾ | 67⅝ | 65¾ | 67⅛ | + 1⅜ | 66¾ | 67 |
| 105 | 86½ | 100 | Continental Insurance (6) | 103⅝ | 103⅝ | 103⅝ | 103⅝ | + ⅛ | 103 | 104¾ |
| 8⅝ | 6 | 2,500 | Continental Motors (80c) | 8⅝ | 8¾ | 8⅝ | 8⅝ | — ⅛ | 8¼ | 8⅝ |
| 43⅜ | 31¼ | 3,300 | Corn Products Refining (2) | 42 | 42⅝ | 41¾ | 42 | — ⅛ | 41¾ | 42 |
| 123¾ | 118¼ | 200 | Corn Products Ref. pf. (7) | 120¾ | 120¾ | 120½ | 120½ | — ¼ | 120 | 121 |
| 40½ | 27⅜ | 2,500 | Cosden & Co. | 28 | 28 | 28 | 28 | | 27½ | 28 |
| 78⅝ | 48 | 1,100 | Crucible Steel (4) | 72¾ | 74¼ | 72¾ | 73⅝ | + ⅛ | 72 | 73⅝ |
| | | 200 | Crucible Steel pf. (7) | 94 | 94 | 94 | 94 | | 91½ | 94½ |
| | | 600 | Cuba Cane Sugar | 13⅜ | 13⅜ | 13⅛ | 13⅛ | | 13⅛ | 13⅜ |
| | | 4,600 | Cuba Cane Sugar pf. | 56½ | 56⅞ | 56½ | 56⅞ | + ⅛ | 55⅝ | 56 |
| | | 1,500 | Cuban Am. Sugar (3) | 25⅝ | 25⅝ | 25⅛ | 25⅛ | | 25 | 25⅜ |
| | | 600 | Cuban-Dom. Sugar | 38 | 38 | 38 | 38 | — ⅛ | 38 | 38½ |
| | | 300 | Cuban-Dom. Sugar pf. | 38 | 38 | 38 | 38 | | 39 | 39½ |
| | | 900 | Cuyamel Fruit (4) | 54 | 54½ | 53½ | 54⅛ | + ⅛ | 54⅛ | 55 |
| | | 1,100 | D. Boone Woolen Mills | 7⅝ | 8¼ | 7⅝ | 8 | | 8 | 8¼ |
| | | 4,600 | Davison Chemical | 43⅝ | 44⅞ | 43⅝ | 44⅜ | + ⅛ | 43⅝ | 44⅛ |
| | | 2,200 | Delaware & Hudson (9) | 123 | 124 | 123 | 124 | | 123 | 124 |
| | | 6,400 | Del., Lacka. & West. (6) | 143⅜ | 146⅞ | 143⅜ | 145 | + 1½ | 145 | 146 |
| | | 100 | Detroit Edison Co. (5) | 114⅝ | 114⅝ | 114⅝ | 114⅝ | — ⅛ | 114½ | 115 |
| | | 900 | Douglas-Pectin (1) | 15⅝ | 15⅝ | 15⅝ | 15⅝ | — ⅛ | 15½ | 16 |
| | | 100 | Duluth, S. S. & Atlantic | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | | 4 | 4¼ |
| | | 3,000 | Du Pont de Nemours (6) | 136 | 136¾ | 135 | 136¼ | + ¼ | 136¼ | 136½ |
| | | 100 | Duquesne Light 1st (7) | 106¾ | 106¾ | 106¾ | 106¾ | | 106¾ | 106¾ |
| | | 700 | Eastman Kodak (16) | 110¼ | 110¼ | 109¾ | 109¾ | — ¼ | 109¾ | 110 |
| | | 8,700 | Eaton Axle & Spring | 15 | 16⅜ | 15 | 16⅛ | + ⅛ | 16⅛ | 16⅜ |
| | | 2,900 | Electric Storage Bat. (15) | 64⅝ | 65 | 64½ | 64⅝ | — ⅛ | 64 | 64½ |
| | | 100 | Elk Horn Coal | 11⅞ | 11⅞ | 11⅞ | 11⅞ | | 11 | 12½ |
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| Day's Sales— | 1924. | 1923. | 1922. | 1921. | 1920. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| United States Government bonds. | $1,748,150 | $2,657,850 | $5,237,750 | $10,464,600 | $20,273,000 |
| Other domestic bonds | 9,733,800 | 6,026,500 | 5,120,500 | 6,349,000 | 6,238,500 |
| Foreign bonds | 2,992,500 | 1,125,000 | 1,625,000 | 1,579,200 | 1,169,000 |
| Total all bonds | $14,474,450 | $9,809,350 | $11,985,250 | $18,392,800 | $27,680,500 |
| Year to Date— | | | | | |
| United States Government bonds. | $856,879,345 | $776,284,520 | $1,619,660,777 | $2,039,383,680 | $2,712,744,350 |
| Other domestic bonds | 2,232,388,800 | 1,468,221,700 | 1,876,866,600 | 985,784,500 | 745,382,000 |
| Foreign bonds | 601,608,100 | 427,167,100 | 590,758,300 | 352,536,400 | 286,893,950 |
| Total all bonds | $3,690,876,245 | $2,671,673,320 | $4,087,285,677 | $3,377,704,580 | $3,745,020,300 |

## UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LOANS.

| —Range Since Date of Issue— High. | Date. | Low. | Date. | —Range 1924— High. | Low. | Sales. | Issue. | Open. | High. | Low. | Last. | Net Ch'ge. | —Closing— Bid. | Asked. | Yield |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 102.1 | Oct. 10,'22 | 96.1 | June 2,'21 | 101.28 | 98.22 | 62¾ | Liberty 3½s, 1932-47 | 100.29 | 101.1 | 100.29 | 101.00 | +1 | 100.30 | 100.31 | 3.36 |
| 102.25 | Oct. 19,'22 | 96.4 | July 11,'21 | 101.20 | 98.20 | .. | Liberty 3½s, registered | .... | .... | .... | .... | .. | .... | .... | .... |
| 102.13 | Aug. 15,'24 | 85.00 | May 19,'20 | 102.13 | 98.20 | .. | Lib. 1st cv. 4s, 1932-47 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .. | 101.16 | 102.00 | 3.79 |
| 102.6 | July 29,'24 | 86.23 | May 12,'20 | 102.6 | 97.30 | .. | Lib. 1st cv. 4s, reg. | .... | .... | .... | .... | .. | .... | .... | .... |
| 102.13 | July 8,'24 | 81.12 | May 26,'20 | 102.13 | 98.5 | .. | Lib. 2d 4s, 1927-42 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .. | 100.22 | 100.28 | 3.69 |
| 101.16 | July 23,'24 | 81.16 | May 21,'20 | 101.16 | 98.5 | .. | Lib. 2d 4s, registered | .... | .... | .... | .... | .. | .... | .... | .... |
| 103.00 | July 13,'24 | 00.00 | June 7,'20 | 103.00 | 98.20 | .. | Lib. 1st 2d cv.4¼s,'32-47 | .... | .... | .... | .... | .. | 100.16 | 101.16 | .... |
| 102.22 | Nov. 1,'24 | 84.00 | May 21,'20 | 102.22 | 98.8 | 12 | Lib. 1st cv. 4¼s, '32-47 | 101.20 | 101.23 | 101.20 | 101.23 | +.2 | 101.20 | 101.23 | 4.00 |
| 102.17 | Nov. 5,'24 | 84.00 | July 30,'20 | 102.17 | 98.4 | 13 | Lib. 1st cv. 4¼s, reg. | 101.17 | 101.26 | 101.17 | 101.26 | +.9 | .... | .... | .... |
| 102.00 | July 29,'24 | 81.12 | May 20,'20 | 102.00 | 98.4 | 3661¼ | Lib. 2d cv. 4¼s, '27-42 | 100.26 | 100.28 | 100.24 | 100.27 | +.1 | 100.26 | 100.28 | 3.95 |
| 101.27 | Aug. 1,'24 | 83.16 | Dec. 23,'20 | 101.27 | 98.2 | 12¾ | Lib. 2d cv. 4¼s, reg. | 100.23 | 100.24 | 100.23 | 100.24 | +.1 | .... | .... | .... |
| 102.23 | Aug. 5,'24 | 85.20 | Dec. 20,'20 | 102.23 | 99.8 | 2214¼ | Liberty 3d 4¼s, 1928 | 101.9 | 101.14 | 101.8 | 101.10 | —.1 | 101.9 | 101.10 | 3.80 |
| 102.21 | Aug. 5,'24 | 82.12 | May 19,'20 | 102.21 | 99.8 | 3 | Lib. 3d 4¼s, reg. | 101.7 | 101.7 | 101.7 | 101.7 | +.4 | .... | .... | .... |
| 103.00 | Aug. 5,'24 | 82.00 | May 20,'20 | 103.00 | 98.8 | 566 | Lib. 4th 4¼s, 1933-38 | 101.28 | 101.30 | 101.28 | 101.29 | —.2 | 101.29 | 101.30 | 4.00 |
| 102.25 | Aug. 9,'24 | 82.15 | May 20,'20 | 102.25 | 98.7 | .. | Lib. 4th 4¼s, reg. | .... | .... | .... | .... | .. | .... | .... | .... |
| 107.7 | Nov. 1,'24 | 98.1 | Mar. 27,'23 | 107.7 | 99.8 | 262 | Treasury 4¼s, 1947-52 | 105.1 | 105.5 | 105.1 | 105.5 | +.3 | 105.5 | 105.6 | 3.91 |
| 106.21 | Nov. 5,'24 | 98.20 | Apr. 13,'23 | 106.21 | 99.13 | 8 | Treasury 4¼s, registered | 104.26 | 104.26 | 104.26 | 104.26 | —.6 | .... | .... | .... |
| 100.20 | Dec. 16,'24 | 100.17 | Dec. 15,'24 | 100.20 | 100.17 | 221 | Treasury 4s, 1944-54 | 100.19 | 100.19 | 100.17 | 100.18 | —.1 | 100.17 | 100.18 | 3.96 |

Beginning March 22, 1923, the Stock Exchange officially quotes Liberty bonds in units and fractions, the fractions being 32ds of a unit, and the quotations after the decimal point representing one or more 32ds. In the above table, therefore, the figures of highest and lowest prices during 1924 and since date of issue are reduced to the form now used in the Stock Exchange quotations.

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In this issue, as in the case of the recent French loan, the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. set up a new time record. The agreement between financial authorities of the Kingdom of Belgium and the American banking concern was reached in respect to all essential points shortly after 1 o'clock, New York time. Three hours later the description of the issue, its maturity, sinking fund provisions and the price were flashed over the wires to Morgan connection throughout the country, and by 5 o'clock last evening full arrangements had been made for today's offering.

This celerity compares with a twenty-four-hour interval required for getting the machinery into operation for the offering of the $100,000,000 French loan, but in the case of the Belgian issue the amount was not so large and the need for a large syndicate was not so pressing as in the French issue and its predecessor, the $110,000,000 German loan.

In dealing with the American bankers the officials of the Belgian Government were able to obtain terms which were distinctly favorable, according to associates of J. P. Morgan & Co. The coupon rate on the new loan is 6 per cent., which compares with 7 per cent. on the French and German loans, and the price is such that the Belgian bonds will yield the investor a flat 7 per cent., against yields of 7.53 per cent. for the French loan and of 7.75 per cent. in the case of the German loan. On this basis, it was assumed that the Belgian Government was receiving its new money at an interest charge ranging from one-half of 1 per cent. per annum to three-quarters of 1 per cent. per annum under the interest charges borne by the French and German Governments.

Several factors were said to account for this. One was the fact that the Belgian loan is only half the size of either of its predecessors, and, through the remarkable success of the two earlier foreign Government issues, greater confidence in their ability to sell foreign Government bonds has been instilled in American bankers. The present market was said also to be favorable for foreign loans.

Essentially, the "set-up" for the Belgian loan is the same as for the French and German loans. There will be a sinking fund which each year will retire one-thirtieth of the face amount of bonds sold, or $1,667,000 of the bonds, and this fund will operate on a monthly basis. The bonds will be purchased by this sinking fund "at the market" when the price is below 100, and in the event of a rise to above 100 the bonds will be callable by lot. With each year the interest-carrying charge to the Belgian Government will thus become $100,000 less.

Early reports of the new loan had given the impression that the coupon rate would be 7 per cent., and a majority of Wall Street's investment bankers had been preparing for an issue of $100,000,000 of bonds. Later, reports were current that another offering of $50,000,000 of bonds would follow this issue in January, but in authoritative quarters it was said that no contract had been signed for an additional loan and that, so far as known, no suggestion of an additional loan had yet been broached either by the bankers or by the Belgian Government.

Proceeds of the issue will be used for a variety of governmental purposes, including the consolidation of certain floating debts of the Kingdom of Belgium and the conversion of these debts into a long-term proposition.

### General Electric Changes.

Francis C. Pratt, since 1919 Vice President of the General Electric Company, in charge of engineering, has been appointed to the post made vacant by the resignation of G. E. Emmons, who was Vice President and Chairman of the Manufacturing Committee. Mr. Pratt will be in charge of both engineering and manufacturing. H. S. T. Erben has been appointed Assistant Vice President on Mr. Pratt's staff.

# TELEPHONE CO. FORMS CONCERN FOR RESEARCH

## *Bell Laboratories, Inc., to Take Over Work Hitherto Done by Western Electric Co.*

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company announced yesterday after a meeting of the Board of Directors that the Bell Telephone Laboratories, Inc., was being organized to take over the laboratory and research work heretofore carried on by its affiliated company, the Western Electric Company. The formation of the new company was said to mean a greater concentration upon the experimental phases of the telephone industry.

In accordance with the plans for the new concern, F. B. Jewett, who has been Vice President of the Western Electric Company, was elected Vice President of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company as "a part of a program for further coordination of the research and development activities which have been constantly expanding." Vice President John J. Carty was made Chairman of an advisory board on research and development policies, and also Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bell Telephone Laboratories, Inc., the new company. The new company will be jointly owned by the American Telephone and Telegraph and the Western Electric Company. Mr. Jewett will be in direct charge of the research and development department of the American Telephone and Telegraph and President of the new Laboratories company.

Mr. Jewett is well known in the scientific world, being a member of the National Academy of Sciences and the National Research Council and a past President of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

### 208,451 Surplus Freight Cars.

Surplus freight cars in serviceable condition Dec. 7 totaled 208,451, an increase of 24,537 compared with Nov. 30.

# BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

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| 4s, 1931 | 1..... 98⅜ | 8 f deb 6s, 1949 | 1..... 36 | San Anton Pub Ser 1st & ref 6s, 1952 | 1st & ref 4s, 2008 |
| 7..... 94⅝ | 6..... 98⅛ | 2..... 105 | 1..... 3½ | 5..... 99½ | 10..... 84⅝ |
| 6..... 94⅞ | 2..... 99 | ref 6s, 1941 | Pere Marq 1st 5s, 1956 | Scioto V & NE 4s, 1..... 89½ | 1st lien & ref 5s, 2006 |
| 8..... 95 | 1..... 85⅜ | 2..... 106⅝ | 2..... 98 | Seaboard Air L con 6s, 1945 | 5..... 104¼ |
| Lehigh Vy of Pa con 4½s, 2003 | 5..... 99⅜ | 10..... 106½ | 5..... 98¼ | 1..... 89½ | Union Pac 6s, 1926 |
| 2..... 85⅞ | 10..... 99¼ | 1..... 106 | 6..... 98⅞ | 1..... 84¾ | 1d..... 103⅜ |
| 1..... 80 | 1st & ref 5s, 1926 | N Y, West & Bos 4½s, 1946 | 1st 4s, 1963 | 3..... 84⅞ | Union Tank C equipment 7s, 1930 |
| con 4s, 2003 | 2..... 100⅜ | 10..... 61 | 1..... 81½ | 5..... 84¾ | 4..... 103½ |
| 4..... 80¼ | 9..... 100¼ | 6..... 61¼ | Phila Co 5½s 1938 | 5..... 84⅞ | Un Fuel Gas 6s, 1936 |
| Lehigh Vy R R con 6s, 2003 | 1925 | 4..... 61 | 1..... 94½ | adj 6s, 1949 | 2..... 99 |
| 1..... 99¼ | 2..... 84 | 2..... 61¼ | 6..... 94⅝ | 10..... 77½ | Un Ryys Inv 5s, 1926 |
| 1..... 98 | 16..... 83¾ | 1..... 61 | 13..... 94 | 6..... 77 | Pitts issue |
| Lex & Eastn 1st gtd 5s, 1965 | 4s, 1975 | 2..... 61¼ | 1st & ref 6s, 1944, Ser A | 23..... 77 | 12..... 100 |
| 2..... 104 | 2..... 63⅜ | 1..... 61¼ | 2..... 102¾ | 31..... 77¼ | United Rys of St L 4s, 1934 |
| 1..... 103½ | 5..... 63¼ | Niag F P Co 6s, 1932 | 6..... 102¾ | ref 4s, 1959 | 2..... 73½ |
| Liggett & Myers 5s, '51 | 2..... 63⅜ | 1..... 104⅝ | 2..... 102 | 1..... 60¼ | U S Sm Ref & M conv 5% notes, 1926 |
| 2..... 99 | 5..... 63⅜ | Norf & Wn conv 6s, 1929 | Phil & Rdg 5s, 1973 | 1..... 60 | 3eff..101¾ |
| 7s, 1944 | 2..... 63⅜ | 10..... 126 | 10..... 101 | Seab & Roa 1st 5s, 1926 | United States Realty Corp. s f 6s, 1945 |
| 11..... 118 | 46..... 63¼ | 5..... 125½ | 1..... 101½ | 9..... 100¼ | 2..... 102 |
| Lg Isl unified 4s, 1949 | 4..... 63¼ | 6..... 127 | 2..... 101 | Shrn Stl Hoop s f 8s ser A, 1941 | 4..... 101½ |
| 2..... 82¼ | 4..... 63¼ | 1..... 126¼ | Philipne Ry 4s, 1937 | 1..... 106 | 1..... 101⅝ |
| Nor Sh 6s, 1932 | 2..... 63⅜ | con 4s, 1996 | 9..... 43 | 1..... 105⅝ | 1..... 101¼ |
| 2..... 99 | 1..... 63⅜ | 10..... 88½ | Pierce-Arrow deb 8s, 1943 | Sierra & San 5s, Ser 1st 1949 | 8..... 102 |
| Lorillard Co 7s, 1944 | 5..... 63⅜ | 5..... 88¾ | 1..... 97¼ | 1..... 90¼ | U S Rubber 1st & ref 5s, 1947 |
| 7..... 114¾ | 2..... 63⅜ | 5..... 88¾ | 2..... 97⅛ | 10..... 90¼ | 145..... 85½ |
| 5s, 1951 | Meb & O gen 4s, 1938 | 4..... 88¾ | 23..... 97 | 1..... 90¾ | 5..... 85⅝ |
| 1..... 96⅝ | 2..... 84¼ | 1..... 90 | 14..... 97⅛ | Sinclair Con 1st 6½s, '38 | 3..... 85⅝ |
| 1..... 96⅛ | Montana Pwr 5s, Ser A, 1943 | No Am Edison Co s f 6½s, Ser B, 1948 | Pierce Oil s f deb 8s, 1931 | 13..... 103 | 2..... 85⅝ |
| Louisv Gas & El 5s, 1932 | 1..... 97¾ | 3..... 103¼ | 13..... 90¼ | Pillsbury Flr Mills 1st s f 6s, 1943 | 1..... 85⅝ |
| 1..... 91¼ | 1..... 97⅛ | 5..... 104¼ | Pillsbury Flr Mills 1st s f 6s, 1943 | 1..... 96¼ | U S Steel s f 5s, 1963 |
| 4..... 91¾ | 5..... 97⅛ | 5..... 100 | 1..... 96¼ | 2..... 96¾ | 1..... 104⅛ |
| Louis & Nash 1st & ref 4½s, Ser C, 2003 | 2..... 97⅝ | 6s, Ser A, 1952 | Portland Ry L & P conv 5s, 1942 | Skelly Oil 5½s, Notes, 1927 | 1..... 104¼ |
| 5..... 92 | Morris & Co s f 4½s, 30 | 2..... 94⅞ | 15..... 84½ | 1..... 103¾ | 8..... 104¼ |
| unified 4s, 1940 | 7..... 79¼ | 7..... 95 | 1st & ref 4s, Ser B, '47 | 20..... 103⅜ | 1..... 104¼ |
| 1..... 86½ | Morris & Essex 1st & ref 3½s, 2000 | 4..... 95⅜ | 2..... 94½ | 22..... 103⅛ | 1..... 104¼ |
| So Mon joint 4s, 1952 | 1..... 75⅞ | 2..... 96½ | Pressed Stl Car conv g 5s, 1933 | 9..... 103¼ | 20..... 104 |
| 1..... 82½ | Mtge Bond 5s, 1932 | 1..... 96¾ | 2..... 93⅞ | 6..... 103⅛ | 12..... 104⅜ |
| St L div 5s, 1950 | 1..... 90½ | 2..... 96⅝ | 26..... 94 | 2..... 103¼ | Utah Pw & Lt 5s, 1944 |
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| Magma Cop conv 7s, '32 | Nassau El RR 4s, stpd, 1951 | 1..... 96⅝ | 4..... 94 | 5..... 103 | 1..... 91¼ |
| 7..... 114½ | 5..... 62¼ | 5s, 1925, francs | 6..... 94 | So Porto Rico Sug coll s f 7s, 1941 | 1..... 92 |
| 7..... 110¼ | 10..... 62½ | 190..... 95¾ | Producers & R s f 8s, 1931 | 2..... 102¼ | Utica G & El ref & ext 5s, 1957 |
| 3..... 110¾ | 15..... 62 | 27..... 95⅝ | 4..... 110½ | Southwn Bell Tel 1st & ref 5s, Ser A, 1941 | 9..... 98⅜ |
| Manati Sugar s f 7½s, 1942 | Nat Acme 7½s, 1931 | 2..... 95⅛ | Providence Sec Co deb 4s, 1957 | 10..... 96⅛ | Vertientes Sug s f 7s, 1942 |
| 3..... 100⅜ | 7..... 92 | 55..... 95¾ | 2..... 93 | 1..... 96⅜ | 1..... 92 |
| Manhat con 4s, 1990 | 5..... 93 | 406..... 96 | Pub Ser Pow 6s, 1948 | 3..... 96⅜ | Va Car Chem s f 7s, Ser A, 1947 |
| 1..... 64 | 5..... 94 | 14..... 93⅞ | 2..... 103⅛ | 6..... 96⅜ | 7..... 70¾ |
| 3..... 64¼ | Natl Tube 5s, 1952 | 240..... 95¾ | 6..... 102¾ | So Bell T & T 1st 5s, 1941 | 6..... 70¾ |
| 3..... 64 | 2..... 101¼ | conv deb 6s, 1948 | 4..... 102¾ | 10..... 96⅝ | Va Iron C & C 7½s, Ser A, 1936, with warrts |
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| 4..... 85½ | 10..... 100 | 5..... 85¾ | 3..... 98⅜ | 5..... 92¼ | Va Midld gen 5s, 1936 |
| Manila El Co 1st ref 7s, 1942 | N O Tex & Mex 5½s, 1954 | non-conv deb 6s, 1958 | Punta Alegre Sug s f 7s, 1937 | So Car Pow conv 4s, 1929 | 1..... 100¾ |
| 1..... 98⅝ | 5..... 98⅝ | 11..... 54 | 1..... 102⅝ | 14..... 96⅛ | Va Ry 1st 5s, 1962 |
| Manila R R S L 4s, 1936 | 7..... 98⅝ | 10..... 54¾ | 2..... 102¾ | col 4s, 1949 | 6..... 85½ |
| 3..... 82 | 6s, Ser A, 1925 | conv 3½s, 1946 | 10..... 102¾ | 2..... 85 | Va R & Pow 5s, 1934 |
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| 1..... 99⅜ | inb 5s, 1935 | Cons Ry 4s, 1954 | 3..... 102¾ | conv 5s, '24 | 1..... 94¼ |
| 6..... 99 | 14..... 95⅝ | 2..... 86¼ | Read Co gen & ref 4½s ser A, 1997 | 1..... 100⅜ | Va & Sow con 5s, 1958 |
| Marland Oil s f 8s, 1931 | 1st 5s, 1954 | deb 4s, 1957 | 1..... 94½ | 1st ref 4s, 1955 | 2..... 84¼ |
| 10..... 106¾ | 5..... 92 | 7..... 84 | Read Jer Cent col 4s, 1951 | 1..... 87⅛ | Wabash 1st 5s, 1939 |
| 1st mtge 7½s, Ser B, 1931 | 5..... 91 | 2..... 54½ | 24..... 85 | 1..... 87¼ | 1..... 100¼ |
| 1..... 105⅞ | 5..... 91½ | 5..... 54⅜ | Rem Arms 1st 6s ser A, 1937 | 4..... 88 | Warner Sugar 1st s f 7s, 1939 |
| Maxwell Motr s f 7s, 1934 | 20..... 91⅝ | ref & imp 5s, 2013 | 1..... 87⅛ | San F Term 4s, 1950 | 2..... 91¼ |
| 5..... 110¾ | 1..... 91⅝ | 3..... 89½ | 2..... 87⅛ | 1..... 84 | Corp 7s, 1941 |
| 10..... 111 | 1..... 91⅝ | 5..... 99½ | 1..... 87⅛ | Sothn Ry 1st 5s, 1994 | 3..... 89¾ |
| 10..... 111¼ | 17..... 90 | 5..... 99½ | 2..... 87⅛ | 21..... 100½ | 11..... 90 |
| 10..... 111½ | non cv deb 6½s, 1954 | ref & imp 4½s, Ser A 2013 | 3..... 87⅛ | gen 4s, 1956 | Weatherford M W & Nw 1st 5s, 1930 |
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| 3..... 110¾ | 1..... 65 | 3..... 76½ | Robb & Myers 7s, 1942 | 3..... 107⅛ | 3..... 63¾ |
| 7..... 110¾ | ref 4s, 1992 | N Y Chic & St L 4s, 1931 | 1..... 71 | M & O col 4s, 1938 | 5..... 63¾ |
| 10..... 110 | 1..... 66¼ | 2..... 102½ | R I Ark & L 4½s, 1934 | 2..... 82¾ | 11..... 63¾ |
| 5..... 110¾ | N Y & Q Elec L & P 5s, 1930 | 6..... 102⅝ | 1..... 87¼ | 2..... 85⅞ | 8..... 63⅜ |
| 10..... 110 | 1..... 101 | 1..... 103 | 2..... 87¼ | Stand Gas & E conv deb 6½s, 1933, 1st series | Wn N Y & P 1st 6s |
| 10..... 109¾ | N Y Rwys ref 4s, 1942, ctfs of dep | 3..... 103¾ | 1..... 87¼ | 1..... 105⅞ | 5..... 100 |
| 40..... 109¾ | 5..... 45¾ | 5½s, 1974 | 3..... 86¾ | 5..... 105⅛ | West Pac 5s, 1946 |
| 5..... 110 | 10..... 46 | 1..... 94¼ | 1..... 87¼ | 5s7f..105⅝ | 4..... 101¼ |
| 5..... 110¼ | adj 5s, 1942, ctfs of dep | 1..... 94¼ | 1..... 87¼ | Steel & Tube gen s f 7s, 1951 | 6..... 101¼ |
| 5..... 110¾ | 2..... 4 | 1..... 94 | 2..... 87¼ | 5..... 105⅝ | 1st 5s, 1946 |
| 5(5)..... 109¾ | 20..... 4½ | 24..... 94 | Rog-Brown Ir gen & ref 7s, 1942 | 3..... 105 | 1..... 90⅜ |
| 14..... 111 | N Y State Rys con 4½s, 1962 | deb 4s, 1931 | 1..... 83 | Supar Estates of Orients 7s, 1942 | 8..... 91 |
| 2s7f..110¾ | 13..... 67 | I(c)..100 | St L Ir Mt & So gen 5s, 1931 | 2..... 97 | 2..... 90⅝ |
| 10s7f..110¼ | 2..... 67⅛ | 1..... 93¼ | 1..... 83⅞ | Tennessee El 1st & ref 6s, Ser A, 1947 | 2..... 90⅝ |
| 1..... 110 | N Y Steam Cp 1st 6s, Ser A, 1947 | 1..... 93¼ | 25..... 99⅜ | 2..... 99⅜ | Wn Penn Pwr 1st 7s, 1946 |
| 2s7f..110 | 98 | gen 6s, 1968 | 5..... 99¼ | 1..... 99⅜ | 1..... 106¾ |
| 2..... 110 | N Y & Wn gen 5s, 1940 | 2..... 102 | River & G 4s, 1933 | 1..... 99⅜ | 1..... 106¾ |
| 3..... 109½ | 2..... 83¾ | 1..... 100 | 1..... 83⅞ | 1..... 99⅜ | 2..... 106¾ |
| Metro Edison 1st & ref 5s, Ser C, 1953 | N Y Tel 4½s, 1939 | 1..... 100 | 1..... 84 | Unity & ref 4s, 1928 | 5s, Ser E, 1963 |
| 1..... 91½ | 1..... 94¼ | Pen & S Sts 4s, 1974 | 1..... 84 | 25..... 82⅜ | 1..... 93¼ |
| Metro Pwr 1st 5s, Ser A, 1953 | Otis Steel 7½s, 1947 | 1..... 88 | 1..... 83½ | St L & S Fr pri lien 4s ser A, 1950 | West Shore 4s, 2361 |
| 1..... 101 | 1..... 92 | 1..... 88 | Robb & Myers 7s, 1942 | 13..... 71½ | 3..... 82¾ |
| 1..... 100⅝ | s f 8s, 1941 | 1..... 88 | 1..... 73½ | 1..... 71¾ | 3..... 82⅜ |
| Mich Cent 3½s, 1952 | 2..... 96¼ | 1..... 88 | R I Ark & L 4½s, 1934 | 1..... 71¾ | 1..... 83 |
| 1..... 80½ | Pac Gas & El 5s, 1942 | 1..... 88 | 1..... 87¼ | 9..... 71½ | Wn Un Tel 6½s, 1936 |
| Midvale Steel col tr 5s, '36 | 3..... 94⅝ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 87¼ | prior lien 3½s ser B, 1950 | 1..... 110¾ |
| 4..... 87½ | 2..... 94⅝ | 1..... 88 | 3..... 86¾ | 3..... 86 | Westnh E & M 7s, 1931 |
| 5..... 87½ | 1..... 94⅝ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 87¼ | 1..... 85¾ | 1..... 107¾ |
| 15..... 87½ | 2..... 94⅝ | 1..... 88 | Rog-Brown Ir gen & ref 7s, 1942 | prior lien 6s ser C, 1923 | 2..... 108 |
| 1(c)..... 89 | 1..... 95⅜ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 83 | 1..... 102 | 2..... 107¼ |
| 10..... 87¼ | Pac Powr & Lgt 1st & ref 5s, 1930 | 1..... 88 | St L Ir Mt & So gen 5s, 1931 | 1st mtg 5½s, 1942, ser D | Wh & L E 1st 5s, 1926 |
| Mil El R & Lt 1st & ref 5s, Ser C, 1953 | 1..... 98¼ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 83⅞ | 7..... 94 | 10..... 100⅜ |
| 7..... 98¼ | 2..... 96 | 1..... 88 | 25..... 99¾ | 1..... 94 | 1st con 4s, 1949 |
| 27..... 98 | 1..... 98¼ | 1..... 88 | 5..... 99¼ | 1..... 93⅞ | 1..... 71¾ |
| 26..... 99 | Pac Tel & T 5s, 1937 | 1..... 88 | River & G 4s, 1933 | 4..... 93¾ | 2..... 73 |
| 6..... 99¼ | 5..... 89½ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 83⅞ | 4..... 94 | ref 4½s, Ser A, 1960 |
| 5..... 99⅞ | 5s, 1952 | 1..... 88 | 1..... 84 | 4..... 94¼ | 1..... 87¼ |
| 7..... 99¾ | 1..... 93 | 1..... 88 | 1..... 84 | adj 6s, 1963 | 10..... 87⅝ |
| 1..... 99¾ | 1..... 92⅞ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 83⅞ | 12..... 85⅞ | Wheeling div 5s, 1928 |
| ref & ext 4½s, 1931 | 1..... 92⅝ | 1..... 88 | Unity & ref 4s, 1928 | 12..... 86⅜ | 1..... 100 |
| 1st & ref 5s, 1961 | 1..... 92⅝ | 1..... 88 | 25..... 82⅜ | inc 6s, 1960 | 2..... 100¾ |
| 27..... 85 | Pan-Am P & T s f 8s, temp, 1931 | 1..... 88 | St L & S Fr pri lien 4s ser A, 1950 | 5..... 78⅝ | Wickwire Spn Steel s f 7s, 1935 |
| 1..... 85½ | 5..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | 13..... 71⅝ | 10..... 78⅝ | 1..... 73⅞ |
| Mil Gas 4s, 1927 | 1..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 71¾ | 15..... 78⅝ | 2..... 74 |
| 1..... 98⅝ | 2..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 71¾ | 5..... 78⅝ | Wilks & Esst 1st 5s, 1942 |
| 6..... 98½ | 2..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | 9..... 71¾ | 10..... 78⅝ | 5..... 64¼ |
| Minn & St L con 5s, 1934 | 4..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | prior lien 3½s ser B, 1950 | St L Southwn 1st Term 5s, 1952 | Willys Overld 1st s f 6½s, 1933 |
| 1..... 51¾ | 1st7..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | 3..... 86 | 20..... 83 | 5..... 88⅝ |
| 1st & ref 4s, 1949 | 2..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 85¾ | St P & Kan City S Line 1st 4½s, 1941 | 1..... 100 |
| 7..... 21¼ | 2..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | prior lien 6s ser C, 1923 | 1..... 80⅝ | 5..... 99⅜ |
| W St P & S S M con 6s, 1938 | 2..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 102 | 1..... 80⅝ | 1..... 99⅜ |
| 15..... 86⅜ | 2..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | 1st mtg 5½s, 1942, ser D | 5..... 81 | 15..... 99⅜ |
| 5..... 86½ | 1st7..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | 7..... 94 | 1..... 81¼ | Wilson & Co conv 7½s, 1931 |
| 8..... 86⅝ | 4s4f..... 98⅛ | 1..... 88 | 1..... 93⅞ | 14..... 81 | 3..... 57 |
| 21..... 86⅞ | 3..... 99½ | 1..... 88 | 4..... 93⅞ | 2..... 81¼ | 1..... 58 |
| con 5s, 1938 | 1st7..... 99½ | 1..... 88 | 4..... 94 | St Paul M & M con 4s, 1933 | conv s f 6s, 1928 |
| 1..... 96⅜ | Fan-Am P & T Trans equip s f 7s, '30 | 1..... 88 | 4..... 94¼ | 5..... 94¼ | 10..... 87 |
| g 5½s, 1940 | 2s7f..104 | 1..... 88 | adj 6s, 1963 | St Paul Union Depot 1st & ref 6s ser A, 1972 | 5..... 87¼ |
| 1..... 86 | Park & Laxtn s f 6½s, '33 | 1..... 88 | 12..... 85⅞ | 5..... 100 | 5..... 87¼ |
| Mo K & T 1st 4s, 1990 | 1..... 90¾ | 1..... 88 | inc 6s, 1960 | San An & A P 4s, 1943 | 10s7f..87 |
| 1..... 80¾ | Penn R R 5s, 1964 | 1..... 88 | 5..... 78⅝ | 2..... 81 | Winchest Rep Arms 7½s, 1941 |
| 1..... 81 | temp 5s, '64 | 1..... 88 | 10..... 78⅝ | 2..... 81¼ | 1..... 101⅛ |
| 1..... 81¼ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 15..... 78⅝ | 1..... 81 | Winston-Salem Southbound 4s, 1960 |
| Mo Kan & Tex prior lien 5s, 1962 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 5..... 78⅝ | | 12..... 83½ |
| 1..... 84¼ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 10..... 78⅝ | | Youngstown Sheet & T ser 1943, temp |
| 1957 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | St L Southwn 1st Term 5s, 1952 | | 1..... 93¾ |
| 2..... 84¼ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 20..... 83 | | 8..... 93½ |
| 2..... 84¼ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | St P & Kan City S Line 1st 4½s, 1941 | | Wm Cent Sup & Dul div & term 4s, '36 |
| N Y O & W gen 4s, 1955 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 1..... 80⅝ | | 90..... 66 |
| 1..... 65 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 1..... 80⅝ | | |
| ref 4s, 1992 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 5..... 81 | | |
| 1..... 66¼ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 1..... 81¼ | | |
| N Y & Q Elec L & P 5s, 1930 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 14..... 81 | | |
| 1..... 101 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 2..... 81¼ | | |
| N Y Rwys ref 4s, 1942, ctfs of dep | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | St Paul M & M con 4s, 1933 | | |
| 5..... 45¾ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 5..... 94¼ | | |
| 10..... 46 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | St Paul Union Depot 1st & ref 6s ser A, 1972 | | |
| adj 5s, 1942, ctfs of dep | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 5..... 100 | | |
| 2..... 4 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | San An & A P 4s, 1943 | | |
| 20..... 4½ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 2..... 81 | | |
| N Y State Rys con 4½s, 1962 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 2..... 81¼ | | |
| 13..... 67 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | 1..... 81 | | |
| 2..... 67⅛ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| N Y Steam Cp 1st 6s, Ser A, 1947 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 98 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| N Y & Wn gen 5s, 1940 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 2..... 83¾ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| N Y Tel 4½s, 1939 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 1..... 94¼ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| Otis Steel 7½s, 1947 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 1..... 92 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| s f 8s, 1941 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 2..... 96¼ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| Pac Gas & El 5s, 1942 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 3..... 94⅝ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 2..... 94⅝ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 1..... 94⅝ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 1..... 95⅜ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| Pac Powr & Lgt 1st & ref 5s, 1930 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 1..... 98¼ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 2..... 96 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 1..... 98¼ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| Pac Tel & T 5s, 1937 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 5..... 89½ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 5s, 1952 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 1..... 93 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 1..... 92⅞ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 1..... 92⅝ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| Pan-Am P & T s f 8s, temp, 1931 | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 5..... 98⅛ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 1..... 98⅛ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 2..... 98⅛ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 2..... 98⅛ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
| 2..... 98⅛ | 1..... 98 | 1..... 88 | | | |
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# KRUPPS SEEKING $15,000,000 HERE

## Owners of Germany's Famous Works Approach American Bankers for a Loan.

## CONTRACT NOT YET SIGNED

### Head of Thyssen Works Is Also Said to Be Trying to Borrow Money in New York.

The Krupps, owners of the Krupp Iron Works of Essen, most famous of the German munitions plants during the war, are seeking a loan from American investors. Reports were current yesterday that a banking group had promised a loan of $15,000,000, but this could not be confirmed, although definite confirmation was obtained in a number of banks of the fact that the Krupps were trying to obtain such a loan.

Speyer & Co., and the Chase Securities Corporation were reported to have made such a contract, but in both offices this was denied. Canvass of other banks which have figured in international business revealed that they had been approached, but no indication was given. proached, but no indication was given that a loan contract had been signed.

Since the war the Krupp works has been converted from the manufacture of long-range Berthas and other war weapons into the making of machinery. Its standing in Germany compares to the standing of the United States Steel Corporation in America.

The effort of the Krupps to get new money gave color to a recent report that finances for the proposed merger of thirty-one large French and German steel and iron companies were being sought in New York. Hens Thyssen, son of one of Germany's famous iron masters and himself head of the present Thyssen works, is now in New York. His name was mentioned in connection with reports of new loans being negotiated for part of Germany's steel industries, but nothing tangible was said to have been placed before bankers to show whether the Krupps and the Thyssens were working together in a loan plan. Each group, according to Wall Street bankers who thus far have been approached for money, is operating separately, the Krupps after one loan and the Thyssens after another.

# RIO GRANDE WESTERN HEADED BY PYEATT

## Missouri Pacific and Western Pacific Agree on Subsidiary's President.

J. S. Pyeatt, formerly President of the New Orleans, Texas and Mexico Railway, was elected President of the newly reorganized Denver & Rio Grande Western yesterday. He shortly will become the head of the Denver & Rio Grande when its receivership ends.

Directors of the Missouri Pacific, which has taken over the New Orleans road, elected William H. Williams as Chairman of the Board of Directors of the new acquisition, and L. W. Baldwin, as President. Both men occupy similar positions in the Missouri Pacific system.

Election of Mr. Pyeatt came about through an agreement between the Missouri Pacific and the Western Pacific, each of which owns one-half of the controlling interest in the reorganized Denver & Rio Grande.

After serving in various capacities with the Pere Marquette and other railroads Mr. Pyeatt became Superintendent of the St. Louis & San Francisco in 1910. He soon was made Vice President of the system and General Superintendent of its Texas lines, including the Gulf Coast lines. During the receivership of the Gulf Coast lines, he was General Manager for the receiver. In 1916, when the receivership ended, he was made President of the reorganized New Orleans, Texas & Mexico. In the second year of the war he was Federal Manager of the St. Louis & San Francisco.

## FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

### Prices Higher at Paris, Irregular at London.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Gilt-edge securities were steady on the Stock Exchange today. Oil shares were dull and British industrials moved irregularly. Old 2½ per cent. consols 57⅝, British 5 per cent. war loan 101⅛, 4½ per cent. war loan 97⅞; all unchanged.

De Beers Mining 12⅛, Rand Mines 2⅝; both unchanged.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—Prices improved on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes 50 francs 5 centimes, 5 per cent. war loan 62 francs 40 centimes; both unchanged.

Exchange on London rose 83 centimes to 87 francs 90 centimes per sovereign; the American dollar was quoted at 18 francs 73 centimes, against 18.61 yesterday.

## BUYING FLOUR FOR RUSSIA.

### Amtorg Concern Negotiating for 120,000 Barrels of Wheat.

The Amtorg Trading Corporation, local representatives and agents for the Russian Export and Import Bureau, is negotiating for the purchase of a large quantity of wheat flour amounting, according to reports yesterday, to 120,000 barrels. The negotiations are being carried on here and until they are concluded, an Amtorg official said last evening, the company has no announcement to make concerning the transaction.

Amtorg recently purchased $1,500,000 worth of American tractors which will be shipped the latter part of the month to Russia, but the negotiations for the purchase of the flour were said to involve clients other than the Russian Soviet Government. It was described as a "transit shipment" or a special transaction which has no connection with other Amtorg purchases in this country. The Russian people, it was said, are large consumers of rye and their demand for wheat for domestic consumption is not as large therefore as reports have indicated.

### Sues for 20,000 Shares of Stock.

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—The Trinity Copper Corporation today brought a bill in equity in the Superior Court to get possession of a certificate of 20,000 shares of its stock, which it is alleged John E. Reynolds, Assistant Treasurer, illegally issued to himself. The certificate subsequently was canceled and another for 20,000 shares issued to Percy S. Percival, it is represented. Judge O'Connell enjoined Percival from disposing of the stock.

### Banking Institute Reunion.

The New York Chapter, American Institute of Banking, will hold its annual Christmas reunion tomorrow evening at the Chapter rooms, 15 West Thirty-seventh Street. The veterans and recruits will gather around the Christmas tree and entertainment will be supplied by Chapter talent. George Allen, former National Educational Director of the Institute, will be the guest of the occasion.

### Bankers' Council Spring Meeting.

The annual Spring meeting of the Executive Council of the American Bankers Associaiton for 1925 will be held at the Bon Air-Vanderbilt Hotel, Augusta, Ga., April 20-23, inclusive, according to announcement made yesterday by F. N. Shepherd, Executive Manager of the association.

# FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

## Heaviness in French and Spanish on Moroccan Situation Forces General Reaction.

Further irregularity was evident in the European exchanges yesterday, speculative activity in French and Spanish documents, which brought sharply lower prices in these two, also acting to depress sterling and the Continentals. Weakness in the franc and peseta was ascribed to fears over Morocco, both the French and Spanish Governments exchanging communications over the situation there. London again sent lower cables before our start, as on Tuesday.

Spanish pesetas started at 14 cents, an overnight decline of 6 points, heavy selling sending the rate off to 13.85 cents, which compares with 14.22 cents, year's high made last Saturday. A covering movement near the close turned it back to 13.90 cents. French francs opened at 5.33 cents, a drop of 5½ points, sagged further and retraced to 5.35⅝ cents at the close. Sterling moved between $4.85⅞, off ⅛ cents from Tuesday, to $4.69¼, finishing ¼ cent lower. Holland, Italian, Belgian, Swiss and the Scandinavians were all easier.

The Chinese currencies staged a moderate recovery on higher silver, but the South Americans were generally lower. Canadian dollar sold at 99.50 cents, compared with 99.46 on Tuesday.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17, 1924.

**Range of Rates, Sight Exchange.**

| | High. | Low. | Final. | Tuesday's Final. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| LONDON | $4.69¼ | $4.68½ | $4.69 | $4.69¼ |
| PARIS | 5.35⅛ | 5.33 | 5.34⅞ | 5.35⅛ |
| ROME | 4.31 | 4.29¾ | 4.29¾ | 4.30⅝ |
| AMSTERDAM | 40.31 | 40.28 | 40.29 | 40.30 |
| BERLIN | 23.80 | 23.80 | 23.80 | 23.80 |
| MADRID | 14.02 | 14.85 | 14.90 | 14.06 |
| STOCKHOLM | 26.94 | 26.91 | 26.93 | 26.94 |

**Closing Rates.**

In the subjoined table the quotation on sterling represents dollars and decimals of a dollar; all others represent cents and decimals of a cent. Quotations preceded by the decimal mark indicate a price measured in fractions of a cent.

**Europe.**

| | Wednesday. | Tuesday. | Week Ago. | Year Ago |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| STERLING—Par $4.86⅝ per sovereign. | | | | |
| Demand | 4.69 | 4.69½ | 4.69¼ | 4.36⅝ |
| Cables | 4.69⅜ | 4.69⅝ | 4.69¼ | 4.36⅝ |
| Com., 60 days | 4.65⅜ | 4.65⅝ | 4.66¼ | 4.33⅝ |
| Com., 90 days | 4.64 | 4.64¼ | 4.64⅝ | 4.32⅝ |
| FRANCE—Par 19.3 cents per franc. | | | | |
| Demand | 5.34⅝ | 5.35⅛ | 5.38½ | 5.18 |
| Cables | 5.35¼ | 5..9 | 5.39 | 5.18½ |
| ITALY—Par 19.3 cents per lira. | | | | |
| Demand | 4.29¾ | 4.30¾ | 4.32 | 4.31¼ |
| Cables | 4.30¼ | 4.31¼ | 4.32½ | 4.31⅝ |
| BELGIUM—Par 19.3 cents per franc. | | | | |
| Demand | 4.92¾ | 4.97 | 4.94½ | 4.84 |
| Cables | 4.93¼ | 4.97½ | 4.95 | 4.84½ |
| GERMANY—Par 23.8 cents per mark. | | | | |
| Demand | 23.86 | 23.80 | 22.86 | .... |
| Cables | 23.89 | 23.80 | 23.80 | .... |
| AUSTRIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown. | | | | |
| Demand | .0014¼ | .0014¼ | .0014¼ | .0014¼ |
| Cables | .0014⅞ | .0014⅞ | .0014⅛ | .0014⅛ |
| CZECHOSLOVAKIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown. | | | | |
| Demand | 3.03¼ | 3.02½ | 3.02¼ | 2.93¼ |
| Cables | 3.03½ | 3.02½ | 3.02¼ | 2.93¼ |
| DENMARK—Par 26.8 cents per krone. | | | | |
| Demand | 17.56 | 17.56 | 17.66 | 17.37 |
| Cables | 17.58 | 17.58 | 17.68 | 17.40 |
| FINLAND—Par 19.3 cents per finmark. | | | | |
| Demand | 2.52¼ | 2.52½ | 2.52¾ | 2.47½ |
| Cables | 2.52½ | 2.52½ | 2.52¾ | 2.47½ |
| GREECE—Par 19.3 cents per drachma. | | | | |
| Demand | 1.83 | 1.83 | 1.85 | 1.74 |
| Cables | 1.86 | 1.86 | 1.88 | 1.77 |
| HOLLAND—Par 40.2 cents per florin. | | | | |
| Demand | 40.29 | 40.30 | 40.43 | 38.15 |
| Cables | 40.33 | 40.34 | 40.47 | 38.19 |
| HUNGARY—Par 20.3 cents per crown. | | | | |
| Demand | .0013⅜ | .0013⅜ | .0013⅜ | .0052½ |
| Cables | .0013⅜ | .0013⅜ | .0013⅜ | .0052½ |
| NORWAY—Par 26.8 cents per krone. | | | | |
| Demand | 15.12 | 15.12 | 15.20 | 14.96 |
| Cables | 15.14 | 15.15 | 15.22 | 14.99 |
| POLAND—Par 19.3 cents per zloty. | | | | |
| Demand | 19.25 | 19.25 | 19.25 | .000015 |
| Cables | 19.25 | 19.25 | 19.25 | .000015 |
| PORTUGAL—Par $1.0805 per escudo. | | | | |
| Demand | 4.85 | 4.85 | 4.85 | 3.52 |
| Cables | 4.90 | 4.90 | 4.90 | 3.57 |
| RUMANIA—Par 19.3 cents per leu. | | | | |
| Demand | .51 | .50½ | .52¼ | .51½ |
| Cables | .51 | .50½ | .52¼ | .51½ |
| SPAIN—Par 19.3 cents per peseta. | | | | |
| Demand | 13.90 | 14.06 | 13.98 | 13.05 |
| Cables | 13.92 | 14.08 | 14.00 | 13.07 |
| SWEDEN—Par 26.8 cents per krona. | | | | |
| Demand | 26.93 | 26.94 | 26.96 | 26.32 |
| Cables | 26.95 | 26.96 | 26.97 | 26.36 |
| SWITZERLAND—Par 19.3 cents per franc. | | | | |
| Demand | 19.35 | 19.35 | 19.37 | 17.42 |
| Cables | 19.36 | 19.36 | 19.38 | 17.44 |
| YUGOSLAVIA—Par 19.3 cents per dinar. | | | | |
| Demand | 1.49¾ | 1.49⅝ | 1.51½ | 1.14 |
| Cables | 1.49⅝ | 1.49⅝ | 1.51½ | 1.14 |

**Far East.**

CHINA—Cents per silver dollar for Hongkong; per tael for Shanghai and Peking.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hongkong— | | | | |
| Demand | 55.38 | 55.13 | 56.00 | 51.38 |
| Cables | 55.50 | 55.25 | 56.13 | 51.50 |
| Peking— | | | | |
| Demand | 77.75 | 76.75 | 79.00 | 78.00 |
| Shanghai— | | | | |
| Demand | 75.00 | 74.50 | 76.75 | 73.88 |
| Cables | 75.12 | 74.63 | 76.87 | 73.75 |

INDIA—Calcutta: Cents per rupee, nominally stabilized at one-tenth of a pound sterling.

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| Demand | 35.13 | 35.13 | 35.13 | 30.88 |
| Cables | 35.25 | 35.25 | 35.25 | 31.00 |

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Manila: Par 50 cents per silver peso.

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| Demand | 49.50 | 49.50 | 49.75 | 49.50 |
| Cables | 49.75 | 49.75 | 50.00 | 49.625 |

JAVA—Par 40.2 cents per florin.

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| Demand | 40.50 | 40.50 | 40.63 | 37.50 |

JAPAN—Par 49.8 cents per yen.

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| Demand | 38.38 | 38.31 | 38.38 | 46.48 |
| Cables | 38.50 | 38.43 | 38.50 | 46.60 |

**South America.**

ARGENTINA—Par 42.44 cents per Argentine paper dollar.

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| Demand | 38.75 | 38.75 | 38.75 | 32.125 |
| Cables | 38.87 | 38.875 | 38.87 | 32.25 |

BRAZIL—Par 32.45 cents per paper milreis.

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| Demand | 11.43 | 11.375 | 11.63 | 9.40 |
| Cables | 11.50 | 11.43 | 11.68 | 9.45 |

CHILE—Par 36.5 cents per paper peso.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Demand | 11.39 | 11.40 | 11.29 | 10.60 |
| Cables | 11.44 | 11.45 | 11.34 | 10.65 |

PERU—Par $4.8665 per pound.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Checks | 4.21 | 4.21 | 4.21 | 4.04 |
| Cables | 4.22 | 4.22 | 4.23 | 4.05 |

URUGUAY—Par $1.0342 per gold peso.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Demand | 97.00 | 97.28 | 98.04 | 78.12 |
| Cables | 97.35 | 97.63 | 98.39 | 78.47 |

**Canada.**

MONTREAL—Par 100 cents per Canadian dollar.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Demand | 99.50 | 99.46 | 99.50 | 97.50 |

**Russian Currency.**

Prices for pre-revolution Russian ruble notes were as follows:

Par 51.40 cents per ruble.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| 100-ruble notes | .15 | .15 |
| 500-ruble notes | .07 | .08 |

# NOMINATORS TO BE CHOSEN

### Stock Exchange to Elect Committee Next January 12.

The annual election of the Nominating Committee of the New York Stock Exchange will be held Jan. 12, 1925. These members are candidates:

Stanley J. Halle of Halle & Steigitz, George N. Hersey of Paine, Webber & Co., Charles H. Marshall of Butler, Herrick & Marshall, William B. Nash of Nash Company and E. Vail Stebbins of Logan & Bryan.

Following their election, the Nominating Committee will hold three open meetings to accept nominations for the election of officers next May. Following these open meetings, the complete list of nominations of officers and Governors for the next Stock Exchange year will be announced.

### Briggs Body Arranges Financing.

The Briggs Body Corporation has arranged with a banking syndicate, headed by Merrill, Lynch & Co., for financing of approximately $2,000,000. The corporation is a manufacturer of automobile bodies. It is expected that about 400,000 shares will be issued. Associated with Merrill, Lynch & Co., will be Hornblower & Weeks and Hallgarten & Co.

### General Motors Output.

General Motors Corporation delivered 34,388 cars and trucks to purchasers in November, against deliveries of 47,000 units in the same month last year, and 46,003 units in October. Between Jan. 1 and Nov. 30, 1924, the corporation delivered 623,695 cars and trucks against 693,319 cars in the corresponding period last year.

Will your Christmas be a merry one if you have not helped the NEEDIEST?

# $11,000,000 BONDS TAKEN IN A MINUTE

## Greek Government Offering Subscribed 20 Times Over Before Books Close.

## 4-DAY TOTAL $118,000,000

### New Issues Include Municipal, State and Utility Securities—Many Projects Pending.

New bond offerings for this week increased to $118,000,000 as a result of new financing announced for today. Bankers were reported yesterday to be moving forward whatever financing they could in a desire to get it on the market before the holiday season, but several important projects were said to be still hanging fire, some of which would take the form of new offerings in the next two weeks.

Speyer & Co., underwriters of the new Greek Government loan of $11,000,000, which was offered yesterday, opened subscription books at 10 A. M. and closed them in less than a minute after with the announcement that the issue had been heavily oversubscribed. The average allotment on subscriptions was cut down to 5 per cent., indicating that the offering brought forth $220,000,000 in subscriptions, which is in almost the same proportion as the London oversubscription. In London $37,500,000 bonds were offered and total subscriptions were $700,000,000.

E. H. Rollins & Sons announced the offering of a new issue of $6,000,000 Western Power Corporation, thirty-year 6½ per cent. sinking fund secured gold debentures, Series A, at 98½ and interest to yield 6.60 per cent. The bonds are dated Dec. 1, 1924, and mature Dec. 1, 1954. They are redeemable on sixty days' notice at 105 and interest up to and including Dec. 1, 1935, and thereafter at par and interest plus ½ per cent. premium for each year of unexpired term. The issue is being offered in connection with the acquisition of the San Joaquin Light and Power Corporation and affiliated companies.

A new issue of $2,140,000 City of Buffalo 4½ per cent. bonds, due $107,000 annually Jan. 2, 1926 to 1945, inclusive, is being offered at prices to yield from 3.25 to 3.90 per cent., according to maturity, by a syndicate including the First National Bank of New York, Eldredge & Co., Kissel, Kinnicutt & Co., Kean, Taylor & Co. and the Detroit Company, Inc.

C. W. McNear & Co. and Stifel, Nicolaus & Co. are offering a new issue of $600,000 Elizabeth City (N. C.) 5 per cent. bonds, dated Jan. 1, 1925, at prices to yield 4.80 per cent. The issue is due $12,000 annually Jan. 1, 1928 to 1934, inclusive; $17,000 annually Jan. 1, 1935 to 1942, inclusive; $22,000 annually Jan. 1, 1943 to 1952, inclusive, and $30,000 annually Jan. 1, 1953 to 1964, inclusive.

Larkin & Jennys are offering $500,000 State of New Jersey highway extension 4¼ per cent. bonds, maturing Jan. 1, 1955, optional Jan. 1, 1940, at prices to yield 4.07 per cent.

A new issue of $275,000 City of New Brunswick (N. J.) 4½ per cent. gold school bonds, dated Dec. 1, 1924, and due serially Dec. 1, 1926 to 1964, inclusive, is being offered at prices to yield from 4 to 4.25 per cent., according to maturities by Bonbright & Co., Inc., Batchelder, Wack & Co. and C. W. Whitis & Co.

## ADDS $70,000,000 STOCK.

### Jersey Public Service Co. to Diversify its Preferred Shares.

The Public Service Electric and Gas Company of New Jersey filed with the Secretary of State at Trenton yesterday an amended certificate of incorporation increasing its preferred stock from $30,000,000 to $100,000,000, consisting of $20,000,000 of 7 per cent. cumulative preferred, $10,000,000 of 6½ per cent. cumulative preferred and $70,000,000 of 6 per cent. cumulative preferred. Heretofore the Public Service Electric and Gas Company, representing recently merged units of the Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, has had only one class of preferred stock.

The Public Service Corporation reports for November a net increase in surplus before dividends of $641,045, as compared with $537,314 in the same month of 1923, an increase over that period of $103,730. For the year ended Nov. 30 the net increase in surplus before dividends was $7,425,676, against $5,081,751 in the preceding year.

## NO CAR SHORTAGE NOW.

### Increase on Dec. 7 is 24,537, as Against Nov. 30.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Reports filed with the Car Service Division of the American Railway Association show that there is practically no car shortage at this time. There were 208,451 surplus freight cars in serviceable condition on Dec. 7, an increase of 24,537 as compared to Nov. 30. This was due to the seasonal decline of freight traffic.

The surplus coal cars in good repair on Dec. 7 numbered 95,961, an increase of 13,142 over the previous week, while surplus box cars in good repair totaled 81,875, an increase of 8,328.

The reports also showed 12,075 surplus stock cars, an increase of 1,395 over Nov. 30. There was an increase during the same period of 1,862 in the number of surplus refrigerator cars, bringing the total to 8,317.

## HEAVY RAILROAD ORDERS.

### New York Central Buys Nine Electric Locomotives—Total $2,000,000.

Orders for new equipment and rails placed by railroads yesterday exceeded $2,000,000 in value and formed a part of the heavy buying since Sept. 1. Orders for new equipment included one of nine new electric locomotives placed by the New York Central with the General Electric Company and one of ten locomotive tenders from the Lima Locomotive Works.

The Southern Pacific announced orders for 45,000 gross tons of rail. This order was divided between the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company and the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company. The Kansas City Southern has ordered 8,000 tons of rails, divided 3,000 tons to the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, 2,000 to the Colorado Coal and Iron Company and 1,000 tons to the Inland Steel Company.

## FINANCIAL NOTES.

The Guaranty Trust Company of New York is prepared to deliver Grand Trunk Western Railway Company 6 per cent. equipment trust gold notes in definitive form upon surrender of trust receipts for the same at its main office trust department.

Trustees of the New York Trust Company yesterday declared the regular quarterly dividend of 5 per cent., payable Jan. 2 to stockholders of record Dec. 20.

A. Robert Elmore has become associated with H. D. Williams & Co. in their wholesale department and will represent them in the South.

Lilley, Blizzard & Co. of Philadelphia have issued for free distribution a booklet containing quotations on 2,000 unlisted public utility bonds.

Salisbury & Co. announce that William Elliott, formerly with Wood, Struthers & Co., is now associated with them in their trading department.

Gilbert Elliott & Co. have prepared a resume of the Brooklyn Trust Company.

McDonnell & Co. have prepared a circular giving details of important current rights and option warrants.

Harold Blake Smith, formerly with Head & Co., has become associated with Frazier, Jelke & Co. in charge of their bond trading department.


$50,000,000

Kingdom of Belgium

EXTERNAL LOAN THIRTY YEAR SINKING FUND 6% GOLD BONDS

Dated January 1, 1925 Due January 1, 1955

Interest payable January 1 and July 1

NOT REDEEMABLE PRIOR TO MATURITY, EXCEPT FOR THE SINKING FUND

*In the Loan Contract pursuant to which these Bonds are to be issued, the Kingdom of Belgium covenants to pay as a Sinking Fund, $1,667,000 per annum, payable in equal monthly instalments beginning February 1, 1925, such amount being sufficient to retire annually one-thirtieth of the entire issue at 100%. Such Sinking Fund payments are to be applied to the purchase of Bonds, if obtainable at or below 100% and accrued interest, or if not so obtainable, to the redemption of Bonds, called by lot, at 100% and accrued interest, such interest in either case to be paid otherwise than out of the Sinking Fund. The Bonds are to be redeemable at said price for the Sinking Fund on January 1, 1926, or on January 1 of any year thereafter.*

*Coupon Bonds in denominations of $1,000, $500 and $100, not interchangeable.*

*Principal and interest payable in United States gold coin of the present standard of weight and fineness, in New York City at the offices either of J. P. Morgan & Co. or of Guaranty Trust Company of New York, without deduction for any Belgian taxes, present or future.*

J. P. MORGAN & CO. AND GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, Fiscal Agents

*In connection with our purchase of these Bonds, M. Georges Theunis, Premier and Finance Minister of the Kingdom of Belgium, has addressed to us a letter dated December 16, 1924, with reference to the economic and financial situation of Belgium and the steps taken to secure budgetary equilibrium. Copies of this letter may be obtained at the offices of the undersigned.*

THE ABOVE BONDS ARE OFFERED FOR SUBSCRIPTION, SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS STATED BELOW, AT 87½% AND ACCRUED INTEREST, TO YIELD 7% TO MATURITY

*All subscriptions will be received subject to the issue and delivery to us of the Bonds as planned, and to the approval by our counsel of their form and validity.*

*Subscription books will be opened at the offices of J. P. Morgan & Co. and Guaranty Company of New York at 10 o'clock A. M., Thursday, December 18, 1924, and will be closed in their discretion. The right is reserved to reject any and all applications, and also, in any case, to award a smaller amount than applied for.*

*The amounts due on allotments will be payable at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co., in New York funds to their order, and the date of payment (on or about January 5, 1925) will be stated in the notices of allotment.*

*Interim Receipts will be delivered, pending the preparation and delivery of the definitive Bonds.*

J. P. Morgan & Co. — Guaranty Company of New York
First National Bank, New York — The National City Company
Bankers Trust Company, New York — National Bank of Commerce in New York
Mechanics & Metals National Bank, New York — The Equitable Trust Co. of New York
The New York Trust Company
Harris, Forbes & Co. — Lee, Higginson & Co. — Kidder, Peabody & Co.
Dillon, Read & Co. — Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.
Brown Brothers & Co. — E. H. Rollins & Sons — Spencer Trask & Co.
First Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago — Illinois Merchants Trust Co., Chicago
Continental and Commercial Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago
Central Trust Company of Illinois, Chicago — The Union Trust Company of Pittsburgh

*New York, December 18, 1924.*

All of these Bonds have been sold, this advertisement appears only as a matter of record.

New Issue December 17, 1924.

$884,000

Indiana General Service Company

First Mortgage 5% Gold Bonds

Dated January 2, 1918 Due January 1, 1948

Coupon bonds of $1,000, $500 and $100 with provision for registration of principal; registered bonds of $1,000. Coupon bonds of $1,000 and fully registered bonds interchangeable. Principal and interest payable in gold in New York. Interest payable January 1 and July 1. Redeemable as a whole or in part at 105 and interest on any interest date on or after January 1, 1923. Present Pennsylvania Four-Mill Tax refunded, on application, to holders resident in Pennsylvania. Guaranty Trust Company of New York, Corporate Trustee.

*The following information is summarized from a letter from Mr. R. E. Breed, Chairman of the Board of the American Gas and Electric Company and President of the Indiana General Service Company:*

THE COMPANY

The Indiana General Service Company owns and operates electric generating plants and an interconnected high tension transmission system, supplying, without competition, electric power and light in and around Muncie, Marion and Elwood, Indiana. The total population served estimated to be in excess of 136,000. All franchises are unlimited as to time.

SECURITY

The bonds are secured by direct first mortgage lien on a substantial part of the Company's properties and on the rest of the property are subject only to two closed underlying divisional liens of which $923,000 are held by the public and $1,003,500 are pledged under this mortgage. The properties covered by the mortgage lien are valued by the Company's engineers, as of September 30, 1924, at $8,431,000; total bonds outstanding in the hands of the public, including this issue amount to $5,129,000.

NET REVENUES 2.64 TIMES INTEREST CHARGES

Average annual net revenues after operating expenses, maintenance, depreciation and taxes for the five years ended November 30, 1924, were $573,113. For the twelve months ended November 30, 1924, net revenues were $677,029. Annual interest requirements on all bonds outstanding in the hands of the public including this issue amount to $256,450 per annum.

CONTROL BY AMERICAN GAS AND ELECTRIC CO.

The American Gas and Electric Company owns the entire common stock of the Indiana General Service Company. The finances of the former and its subsidiaries have always been handled through the Electric Bond and Share Company. The American Gas and Electric Company has now outstanding $16,436,050 6% preferred stock, and 1,235,966 shares of common stock of no par value (including common stock to be issued as a dividend January 2, 1925) having a present combined market value in excess of $105,000,000.

Dividends at the rate of 6% per annum have been paid on the preferred stock since May, 1907. Cash dividends have been paid on the common stock since 1910 plus extra dividends in stock.

*We offer these bonds for delivery when, as and if issued and received by us, subject to the approval of legal matters by counsel.*

Price 94½ and Interest. To Yield Over 5.40%

*Further information is contained in a circular which may be had on request.*

Dillon, Read & Co.

The statements herein have been accepted by us as accurate but are in no event to be construed as representations by us.

*We Offer, Subject to Sale.*

**$54,000**
**Chicago & North Western Ry.**
Secured 7s—Due June 1, 1930
**108¼ & int., yielding 5.25%**

**$65,000**
**Detroit & Mackinac Ry.**
1st Mtge. 4s—Due 1995
(Rate $3.996 per mile)
**76 & int., yielding 5.30%**

**$20,000**
**Ohio River R. R.**
1st Mtge. 5s—Due June 1, 1936
(Legal for New York Savings Banks)
**101 & int., yielding 4.90%**

**$35,000**
**Portland General Electric**
1st Mtge. 5s—Due July 1, 1935
**99½ & int., yielding 5.05%**

**Buell & Co.**
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*Circular T-26 on request.*

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PRICE TO YIELD 4.90%
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Incorporated

# STEADY INCREASE IN OUTPUT OF STEEL

### Average Operations in the Last Week Approximated 80 Per Cent. of Capacity.

### PIG IRON PRICE UP 50 CENTS

### Accounted For by Advance in Wages of Coke Workers—Trade in a Healthy Condition.

Operations in the steel mills of the country are increasing steadily, according to the weekly review of trade conditions compiled by The Iron Age, despite the fact that it is customary to slacken operations at this season. Average operations in the last week approximated 80 per cent. of capacity. Several mills, for the first time in many months are getting behind in bar deliveries.

"The automobile industry, as a rule, is still cautious in ordering," says the paper, "but a maker of frames and other automobile stampings has just contracted with a Cleveland mill for 50,000 tons of steel for delivery in the first half of the year.

"In the heavier steel products—bars, plates and shapes—the effort to advance prices continues.

"Independent coke operators in the Connellsville district advanced wages this week to the H. C. Frick Co. scale, and this means that under their contracts, which have a wage advance clause, the furnace companies will pay from 75 cents to $1.15 a ton more for coke in the first quarter of 1925. The immediate result in the Central West is an advance of 50 cents a ton in the asking price for pig iron.

"With 3,040 cars bought by the Missouri Pacific, 1,000 by the Louisville & Nashville and 800 by the Northern Pacific and with inquiries for 1,000 cars and 2,000 car bodies for the Baltimore & Ohio, railroad buying continues active. Locomotives were booked to the number of 54."

The Iron Trade Review says:

"New buying of iron and steel has slowed down, leaving producers in possession of well-filled order books. This is a fundamental market condition that appears very promising. All records now available, including the 506,000-ton increase in the Steel Corporation's bookings, accentuate the heavy volume of buying that took place in November. It is estimated that 33 to 50 per cent. of the orders for steel recently placed in the Chicago district have been for refilling depleted stocks."

## ROAD APPEALS FROM ORDER.

### Delaware & Hudson Calls Automatic Train Control Impractical.

The Delaware & Hudson Company has petitioned the Interstate Commerce Commission to be excluded and exempted from the automatic train control order of June 13, 1922, contending that the financial condition of the property does not warrant such expenditures when other improvements are needed, and pointing out that the automatic train control devices perfected to date do not meet the requirements of the railroad. The company says it has made serious efforts to install the automatic train control, but that its experiments to date do not justify such an penditure as the commission contemplates.

The railroad says it has tested and experimented with many systems of automatic train control on 3.15 miles of its road, including five automatic block sections. Although the tests have been conducted for some time, the device shows that it needs further development before it will be practical for railroad operation.

The railroad further says it has ordered all material for the installation of automatic train control, beginning at Rouses Point, N. Y., and extending southward for one division. It declares that this will be installed and tested as soon as possible.

### St. Joseph Accepts Doherty Plan.

Announcement was made yesterday by Henry L. Doherty & Co. that the voters of St. Joseph, Mo., at a special election, had accepted by more than two to one the proposal of the Doherty Company to furnish the electric power required for street lighting in that city as against power formerly supplied by the municipal plant.

### Extra Dividend Declared.

Directors of the Hamilton Brown Shoe Company yesterday declared an extra dividend of 25 cents a share on the common stock in addition to the regular monthly dividend of 25 cents a share. The extra dividend is payable Dec. 23 and the regular dividend Jan. 1 to stockholders of record Dec. 16.

## STEEL CO. WORKERS ELECT.

### 93 Per Cent. of Bethlehem Employes Vote for Representatives.

The Bethlehem Steel Corporation yesterday announced that 93 per cent. of the company's 70,000 employes participated in the election of fellow-workers to represent them in dealing with the management. This represents an increase of 10 per cent., compared with the number of employes voting at the election last year. Three hundred and four representatives were chosen, of whom 150 were re-elected.

About 95 per cent. of the employes elected as representatives, according to the company, are American citizens, of whom 43 per cent. own their own homes. All employes, to be eligible to act as representatives, must have their first citizenship papers. The average term of service of these representatives is twelve years.

According to the company, the Bethlehem plan of employes' representation provides that all workers, individually or collectively, are trusted to make their own decisions. It differs from other plans in that elected employe representatives, operating by themselves and in touch through committees with the management, pass on every employment problem not previously settled satisfactorily by regular plant authorities.

## UTILITY STOCK PURCHASED.

### 20,000 Shares of Associated Gas & Electric to Be Put on Market.

John Nickerson & Co. and Eastman, Dillon & Co. have purchased a new issue of 20,000 shares of Associated Gas and Electric Company preferred stock, which they expect to offer publicly this week. With this financing the company will have outstanding 90,000 shares of preferred stock and $4,000,000 of secured gold bonds. The outstanding common stock is owned by the management.

The Associated is a holding company owning properties which serve with electric light and power, gas and water a large part of up-State New York, Staten Island and cities and towns in Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, Kentucky, Tennessee and Ohio. Proceeds of the new stock issue will reimburse the company for expenditures in the recent acquisition of new properties.

Pynchon & Co., managers of the syndicate which offered 150,000 shares of the Utilities Power and Light Corporation Class A stock at $25 a share, announced that the issue had been heavily oversubscribed and the books closed. The stock was admitted to trading yesterday on the New York Curb Market.

## GREEKS SEEK A LOAN HERE.

### $10,000,000 Water Works Planned —Doubt About the Contract.

Cabled reports yesterday from Athens that and agreement had been signed there with Ulen & Co. of New York for water-works improvements involving a $10,000,000 loan, half of which would come from Greek banks and half from the United States, failed of confirmation at the firm's offices here. It was stated that negotiations with the Greek Government have been in progress for several months, but that thus far no one had been authorized by the firm to sign an agreement and that the concern had not been advised of the signing of an agreement.

Ulen & Co. finance and construct engineering works in various parts of the world. The firm is affiliated with the American International Corporation, with which important banking interests are affiliated.

## SHIP $2,500,000 MORE GOLD.

### $29,500,000 Exported This Month, Nearly Half to Germany.

The total of gold exports from the United States for December to date was raised yesterday to $29,500,000 through the shipment of $2,500,000 in gold to the German Reichsbank at Berlin. The consignment was made by J. P. Morgan & Co., agents for the recent German loan, and made a total of $12,500,000 shipped to Germany on the current movement.

Other shipments of gold, it was said yesterday, would be made soon, chiefly to Germany.

### Bank to Change Its Name.

Effective Jan. 2, 1925, the Twenty-third Ward Bank will change its name to the Bronx County Trust Company, and on that date will commence business with a capital and surplus of more than $1,000,000. The change in name has been approved by the Superintendent of Banks.

Christmas is but seven days away and the HUNDRED NEEDIEST CASES will remain the neediest unless you help.

# LEHIGH VALLEY UP ON CONTROL RUMOR

### Stock Advance Is Laid to Bidding by Pennsylvania and New York Central Roads.

Aided by reports throughout the financial district that the New York Central was bidding against the Pennsylvania for the stock of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, the price of the stock advanced at 85, a new high record since 1912. About 40,000 shares were traded in during the day.

Wall Street has not in many weeks seen such a picturesque "set-up" as that offered in the Lehigh Valley yesterday, with the rumors that the New York Central and the Pennsylvania, both $2,000,000,000 corporations, bidding against each other for this line, and with the added reports that the Morgan and First National Bank interest on the one hand were supporting the New York Central, while Kuhn, Loeb & Co. were doing the buying for the Pennsylvania group. For years no such fight as this has been staged in the financial district.

Coupled with this was the tentative consolidation plan presented to the Interstate Commerce Commission by the Big Four railroads, in which the Lehigh Valley was linked with the New York Central and to which the Pennsylvania took serious objection.

Representatives of the railroads concerned failed to verify these reports, and the banking interests said they could throw no light on the situation. E. E. Loomis, President of the Lehigh Valley, could give no information concerning the purchase of the stock. It was said at the office of the company.

Daniel Willard, President of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, was in New York City yesterday. Although he is one of the leaders in the plan for the consolidation of the Eastern roads into four great systems, he declared that there was no development on consolidation on which he was informed.

Stock of the Lehigh Valley, which sold on April 10 at 39¼, opened yesterday morning at 81 and slowly declined to 80¾. Then began the first sharp advance of the day, which carried the stock to 85 before the close of the first hour of trading. From this price it receded several points, only to recover and reach 85 at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. It closed the day at 82¾, a net advance of 5¼ points for the day.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Continued from Page Thirty.

| 1924 High. | 1924 Low. | Sales. | Stock and Dividend Rate. | First. | High. | Low. | Last. | Net Ch'ge. | Closing Bid. | Closing Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 154½ | 64 | 6,100 | U. S. C. I. P. & Fdy | 151¼ | 153½ | 149¼ | 150 | — 1 | 140½ | 150 |
| 42 | 21½ | 15,400 | U. S. Distributing | 38½ | 42 | 38 | 40½ | + 2½ | 40½ | 40¾ |
| 168 | 98 | 500 | U. S. Distributing pf. (7) | 155 | 168 | 155 | 161½ | — 3½ | 160 | ... |
| 24⅝ | 16¾ | 2,100 | U. S. Hoffman Mac. (50c) | 23⅝ | 24 | 23¾ | 23¾ | — ⅛ | 23¾ | 23⅝ |
| 86⅝ | 61¼ | 4,900 | U. S. Industrial Alcohol | 83½ | 84¾ | 83¼ | 84½ | + 1¼ | 84½ | 84⅝ |
| 106¾ | 96 | 100 | U. S. Ind. Alcohol pf. (7) | 106¾ | 106¾ | 106¾ | 106¾ | + 2⅜ | 105 | 108 |
| 143½ | 90 | 1,400 | U. S. Realty & Imp. (8) | 129½ | 130½ | 128 | 129½ | + 2½ | 129½ | 130 |
| 42⅝ | 22¼ | 5,400 | U. S. Rubber | 41¼ | 41¾ | 40¾ | 40¾ | — ⅝ | 40¾ | 40¾ |
| 95⅜ | 66½ | 1,600 | U. S. Rubber 1st pf. (8) | 93¾ | 94 | 93¾ | 93½ | ... | 93¾ | 95½ |
| 38 | 16½ | 900 | U. S. Smelt. Ref. & M. | 36 | 37 | 36 | 36¾ | + ⅜ | 36½ | 37 |
| 46¾ | 27½ | 100 | U. S. S. R. & M. pf. (3½) | 45⅝ | 45⅝ | 45⅝ | 45⅝ | + ⅜ | 45 | 45⅝ |
| 119¼ | 94¼ | 29,900 | U. S. Steel (†7) | 118 | 118⅝ | 117⅝ | 117⅞ | — ⅛ | 117⅝ | 118 |
| 123 | 118¾ | 1,500 | U. S. Steel pf. (7) | 121¼ | 121¾ | 121¼ | 121¼ | — ⅛ | 121¼ | 121⅝ |
| 43 | 13 | 25,700 | Universal Pipe & Radiator | 40 | 43 | 39⅝ | 42 | + 2 | 41¾ | 42 |
| 74⅜ | 47½ | 5,800 | Universal Pipe & R. pf. (7) | 73⅝ | 74⅜ | 73¼ | 73½ | + 1¾ | 73½ | 73⅝ |
| 85⅝ | 64 | 200 | Utah Copper (4) | 83⅝ | 83⅝ | 83⅝ | 83⅝ | — ⅜ | 82 | 84 |
| 46 | 16⅜ | 2,100 | Utah Securities | 45¾ | 45¾ | 44¾ | 44¾ | — 1 | 44½ | 44¾ |
| 33½ | 19½ | 200 | Vanadium Corporation | 28⅞ | 28⅞ | 28½ | 28½ | — ⅛ | 28 | 29 |
| 33¼ | 18¾ | 100 | Van Raalte | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | — ⅛ | 16 | 23 |
| 10⅝ | ⅝ | 1,800 | Virginia-Carolina Chemical | 2⅜ | 2⅝ | 2¼ | 2½ | + ⅛ | 2⅜ | 2½ |
| 1½ | 1 | 300 | Va.-Caro. Chem. ctfs. | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | + ⅛ | ~1 | 1½ |
| 34⅜ | 2½ | 2,200 | Va.-Caro. Chemical pf. | 9 | 9 | 7⅞ | 8½ | 1 | 8½ | 9 |
| 7 | ⅜ | 100 | Va.-Caro. Chem. Class B | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | ... | 1 | 1⅜ |
| 15⅛ | 4⅜ | 1,600 | V. Vivaudou | 8⅝ | 8⅝ | 8 | 8 | ... | 8 | 8⅝ |
| 72⅝ | 36 | 100 | Virginia Ry. & Power | 67 | 67 | 67 | 67 | — ½ | 66 | 68 |
| 24⅝ | 10⅜ | 8,500 | Wabash | 23½ | 23½ | 22¼ | 22⅝ | — ⅛ | 22½ | 22⅝ |
| 60⅜ | 34 | 31,200 | Wabash pf. A | 60⅜ | 60⅜ | 59⅜ | 59⅝ | — 1 | 59½ | 59⅝ |
| 42¾ | 22½ | 200 | Wabash pf. B | 42 | 42½ | 42 | 42½ | + ⅝ | 40½ | 42 |
| 20 | 14 | 200 | Waldorf System (1¼) | 18⅝ | 18⅞ | 18⅝ | 18⅝ | — ⅛ | 18⅝ | 18⅝ |
| 19½ | 14½ | 700 | Weber & Heil. ex d. (1) | 18 | 18 | 17⅝ | 17⅞ | — ⅛ | 17⅝ | 17⅞ |
| 103¾ | 102 | 100 | West Penn Power B (7) | 103¾ | 103¾ | 103¾ | 103¾ | + ⅛ | ... | ... |
| 121 | 47½ | 300 | West Penn Co. (4) | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | ... | 112 | 115 |
| 97 | 87½ | 100 | West Penn Co. pf. (7) | 95¾ | 95¾ | 95¾ | 95¾ | — ½ | 94½ | 95 |
| 117 | 111½ | 100 | Western Electric pf. (7) | 114¾ | 114¾ | 114¾ | 114¾ | — ¾ | 113 | 115 |
| 14½ | 8⅝ | 14,290 | Western Maryland | 13⅝ | 14½ | 13½ | 14⅜ | + ⅞ | 14⅜ | 14½ |
| 25⅞ | 15¼ | 6,200 | Western Maryland 2d pf. | 22¼ | 24⅜ | 22¼ | 24 | + 1⅝ | 24 | 24¼ |
| 36⅜ | 14⅜ | 6,600 | Western Pacific | 34⅝ | 35⅜ | 34½ | 34⅝ | ... | 34½ | 34⅝ |
| 86½ | 56 | 200 | Western Pacific pf. (6) | 85¾ | 85¾ | 85¾ | 85¾ | ... | 85 | 85¾ |
| 116¾ | 105 | 100 | Western Union Tel. (7) | 116¼ | 116¼ | 116¼ | 116¼ | + ¼ | 110½ | 116¾ |
| 111 | 84 | 700 | Westinghouse A. B. (6) | 106 | 107 | 105 | 107 | + ½ | 106½ | 107½ |
| 70¾ | 55⅛ | 2,600 | Westinghouse E. & M. (4) | 69 | 69¾ | 68⅝ | 68⅞ | — ⅛ | 68½ | 69 |
| 16⅞ | 7½ | 15,000 | Wheeling & Lake Erie | 14⅝ | 16⅞ | 14⅝ | 15⅝ | + 1⅛ | 15⅝ | 16 |
| 32½ | 14½ | 13,600 | Wheeling & Lake Erie pf. | 23⅞ | 32¾ | 23½ | 31½ | + 4 | 31½ | 31½ |
| 29⅜ | 23¼ | 200 | White Eagle Oil (2) | 26⅛ | 27⅜ | 26⅛ | 26⅝ | ... | 26½ | 26⅞ |
| 71¾ | 50¼ | 3,700 | White Motors (4) | 71½ | 71¾ | 70¾ | 71 | + ⅝ | 70¾ | 71 |
| 5 | ¾ | 2,600 | Wickwire Spencer Steel | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1 | 1 | — ⅛ | 1 | 1⅛ |
| 14¼ | 6⅞ | 2,000 | Willys-Overland | 10⅝ | 10¼ | 10⅜ | 10⅝ | ... | 10⅜ | 10½ |
| 88 | 61½ | 800 | Willys-Overland pf. | 74 | 74¾ | 73¾ | 73¾ | — 1 | 73⅜ | 74½ |
| 28 | 7⅝ | 1,200 | Wilson & Co. | 7⅝ | 8 | 7⅝ | 8 | ... | 8 | 8¼ |
| 72½ | 11 | 100 | Wilson & Co. pf. | 20¼ | 20½ | 20¼ | 20½ | ... | 21¾ | 22 |
| 72½ | 11 | 500 | Wilson & Co. pf. cash | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | ... | 21¾ | 22 |
| 124½ | 72½ | 24,800 | Woolworth (F. W.) Co. (3) | 118 | 124½ | 118 | 124½ | + 8½ | 124 | 124⅝ |
| 72⅝ | 23½ | 9,000 | Worthington Pump | 70 | 71½ | 68½ | 69½ | — ⅝ | 69 | 69½ |
| 75⅝ | 58¾ | 300 | Worth. Pump pf. B (6) | 75¼ | 75¾ | 75¼ | 75¾ | — ¼ | 73¾ | 77 |
| 17½ | 9⅝ | 300 | Wright Aeronautical (1) | 15⅝ | 15⅞ | 15⅝ | 15⅞ | + ⅛ | 15⅝ | 16 |
| 85⅝ | 32 | 1,700 | Yellow Cab Mfg. (2.52) | 41½ | 41⅝ | 40⅝ | 40⅝ | ... | 40⅝ | 41½ |
| 72 | 59¾ | 100 | Youngstown S. & Tube (4) | 70 | 70 | 70 | 70 | + ½ | 70 | 70¼ |
| | | | RIGHTS. | | | | | | | |
| 9⅝ | ⅝ | 3,600 | Commercial Solvents | 8 | 9⅝ | 8 | 8 | + ⅛ | 7¼ | 7¾ |
| ½ | ½ | 900 | Guantanamo Sugar | ½ | ½ | ½ | ½ | ... | ... | ... |
| 25⅝ | 2½ | 1,000 | Public Service N. J. | 24 | 25 | 24 | 25 | + ⅛ | 24¾ | 25 |
| 24¾ | 15¼ | 2,100 | Reading | 22½ | 22⅝ | 22¼ | 22½ | + 1 | 22⅝ | 22½ |

Dividend rates as given in the above table are the annual cash payments based on the latest quarterly or half yearly declarations. Unless otherwise noted, extra or special dividends are not included.
*Partly stock. †Partly extra. ‡Payable in preferred stock.

## THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Revenue receipts and expenditures as at close of business Dec. 15:

| Receipts. | This Month. | Corresp. Period Last Year. | Fisc. Yr. *1925. | Corresp. Period Fisc. Yr. *1924. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Customs | $22,961,418.61 | $22,580,005.76 | $252,186,085.02 | $251,393,019.80 |
| Internal revenue, income and profits tax | 47,803,829.05 | 50,912,400.61 | 508,087,856.92 | 543,052,336.58 |
| Misc. internal revenue | 48,420,089.30 | 44,975,581.01 | 428,330,048.59 | 492,480,939.62 |
| Miscellaneous receipts— | | | | |
| Proceeds Gov't owned foreign obligations: | | | | |
| Principal | 9,600.00 | 732.93 | 160,391.20 | 37,936,927.35 |
| Interest | 14,632.00 | ..... | 10,597,854.52 | 11,723,214.13 |
| Railroad securities | 8,892,752.46 | 3,618,350.56 | 111,014,206.50 | 16,089,046.43 |
| All others | 17,052.68 | 450.61 | 3,468,923.30 | 4,746,153.13 |
| Trust fund receipts reappropriated for investments | 821,294.98 | 773,065.92 | 14,399,498.36 | 13,632,396.78 |
| Proceeds sale of surplus property | 235,457.60 | 2,575,152.92 | 10,449,671.96 | 24,065,869.46 |
| Panama Canal tolls, etc. | 1,125,221.65 | 1,111,699.76 | 10,963,637.31 | 12,417,323.12 |
| Rets. from misc. sources credited direct to appropriations | 1,837,739.86 | 1,296,119.42 | 13,077,538.96 | 19,638,678.07 |
| Other miscellaneous | 7,683,048.54 | 9,825,442.90 | 82,694,113.99 | 110,639,795.62 |
| Total ordinary | $139,822,356.73 | 146,869,552.42 | $1,438,740,416.89 | $1,539,999,790.07 |
| Excess of ord. receipts over total expenditures against ord. receipts | 24,938,627.46 | 1,704,889.62 | ..... | ..... |
| Excess of total expns. chargeable against ord. receipts | ..... | ..... | 43,872,407.38 | 79,539,539.38 |
| Total expns. chargeable against ord. receipts | $114,883,729.27 | $145,164,662.80 | $1,482,612,824.27 | $1,619,539,329.45 |

*Receipts and expenditures for June reaching the Treasury in July are included.

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*Business:* The business of International Securities Trust of America is confined solely to the investment and re-investment of its resources in seasoned, marketable securities. The volume of these resources enables the Trust to apply to an unusual extent the principle of diversification of investment. For example, International Securities Trust of America owns over 400 different investments in Government, Railroad, Public-Utility, Industrial and miscellaneous securities with international diversification. The restrictions under which these investments are made require that all bonds purchased shall have a book-value of at least 200% of the purchase price, and all preferred and common stocks a book-value of at least 150% of the purchase price. All bonds or stocks purchased must show average earnings for the preceding four years of at least 50% in excess of interest or dividends paid. At present the investments owned by the Trust have an average book-value of over 400% of cost prices and are further protected by average earnings of more than 3¼ times their respective interest and dividend payments.

*Assets:* The Common Shares are safeguarded by the assets of the Trust which consist solely of cash and investments. All Common Shares have been issued for cash only. All cash received from the sales of any of the issues of the Trust must be paid into the Trust in full. (Bull & Rockwell Company, the fiscal agent, derives its compensation solely under certain options on the Common Shares.)

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
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| 1927 | " | 3.50 | 1932–1939 | " | 3.90 |
| 1928–1929 | maturities | 3.75 | 1940–1945 | " | 3.95 |

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DIVIDENDS.

IRVING BANK—COLUMBIA TRUST CO. New York, December 16, 1924. A quarterly dividend of three dollars ($3.00) per share has been this day declared by the Board of Directors, payable January 2, 1925, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 19th, 1924. H. D. JUNIOR, Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

UNIVERSAL LEAF TOBACCO CO., INC. The regular quarterly dividend of 2% on the Preferred stock of Universal Leaf Tobacco Company, Inc., has been declared payable January 2nd, 1925, to Preferred Stockholders of record at the close of business December 20th, 1924. C. M. ROBINS, Secretary.

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# PERE MARQUETTE AGREES TO MERGER

### Its Special Committee Approves New Terms Which Protect Minority Stockholders.

### DIVIDEND RATES FIXED

### Those Preferring Cash to an Exchange of Stocks May Have Value of Shares Arbitrated.

The question of protecting the minority stockholders of the Pere Marquette Railway who do not join in the Van Sweringen consolidation, which at one time threatened to disrupt the Van Sweringen plan of a $1,500,000,000 railroad merger, was decided yesterday afternoon. The Executive Committee of the Pere Marquette approved the new offer by which the Van Sweringens propose to care for stockholders who do not accept the plan. The Van Sweringens are required to complete their unification before Jan. 1, 1926.

Under the terms agreed upon the new Van Sweringen property is to pay into the treasury of the Pere Marquette quarterly:

"As and when dividends at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum are paid on preferred stock of the New Company, an amount equal to dividends at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum o nprior preference stock and preferred stock of the Pere Marquette not owned by the new company—the amount so payable to be proportionately decreased in the case of the payment of dividends at the rate of less than 6 per cent. per annum on the preferred stock of the new company.

"As and when dividends at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum are paid on common stock of the new company, an amount equal to dividends at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum on the common stock of the Pere Marquette not owned by the new company—the amount so payable to be proportionately increased or decreased in case of the payment of dividends at the rate of more or less than 6 per cent. per annum on common stock of the new company."

These conditions are to be in addition to other provisions of the lease which still remain to be worked out in detail and presented to the directors and stockholders of the Pere Marquette.

Regarding the exchange and purchase of stock, the new lease provides:

"That in case of holders who may desire not to exchange their stock and who will notify the new company in writing within a reasonable time after lease becomes effective of their desire to receive the fair value of their stock in cash, the new company will pay in cash to such stockholders the fair value of their stock as determined by arbitration conducted in a manner to be specified in the lease."

Acceptance of these terms by the executive committee of the Pere Marquette means the removal of one of the most difficult phases of the lease negotiation. For weeks the counsel for the two railroad companies had been trying to arrive at a method for protecting the stockholders who did not join in the plan. This condition was brought about when the special committee of the Pere Marquette including Thomas W. Woodlock, Chairman, Matthew C. Brush and Walter W. Colpitts, insisted on a revision of the original lease submitted by the Van Sweringens.

The following table shows how in the opinion of this special committee the Pere Marquette stockholders will fare as far as yield is concerned if they remain out of the unified Nickel Plate plan in comparison with the yield if they deposit their stock under the Van Sweringen plan:

| | Present Rate. | Rate Under. Lease. | Rate If Exch'd. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Prior preference | 5.00 | 5.00 | 6.00 |
| Preferred | 5.00 | 6.00 | 5.40 |
| Common | 4.00 | 4.50 | 5.10 |

## SECURITIES TRUST STOCK.

### Common Shares Offered to Public by Bull & Rockwell Co.

Common stock of the International Securities Trust of America, the first general investment trust to be organized in this country, is being offered for public subscription at $37.50 a share, by Bull and Rockwell Company. The trust owns investments in 400 different railroads, public utility companies, industrial and miscellaneous corporations, not mentioning numerous Government, State and municipal issues.

The trust has just declared a quarterly dividend of 90 cents a share on the stock, or at the rate of $2.40 a share annually. Net earnings for the six months ended Nov. 30, 1924, were at the annual rate of $5 per share on the common stock, according to a statement issued by Bull and Rockwell Company yesterday.

### Sleeper Radio Earnings.

Net earnings for November of the Sleeper Radio Corporation were about $35,000, according to an announcement yesterday by the president of the company. He said that 800 radio sets are being manufactured each week.

## A. W. CUTTEN RUMOR NAILED

### Traders Had Heard He Is Heavily "Long" in Wheat, Rye and Oats.

*Special to The New York Times.*

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—The latest of sensational rumors that have prevailed in the grain trade for several days is that a leading New York cotton and stock operator has been caught heavily short of December wheat and was coming here to make a private settlement. He was also said to have been a big seller of corn today in an effort to depress corn.

A wild statement that Arthur W. Cutten was long 40,000,000 bushels wheat here and in Winnipeg, 15,000,000 bushels rye and 50,000,000 bushels oats brought an investigation by the Grain Futures Administration and an official statement says:

"This comment is entirely without foundation. Our records do not show any such holdings at any time by Mr. Cutten or any other individual. Moreover, unwarranted statements such as these are liable to do much harm to individual traders and at the same time discredits the exchanges and the entire system of our grain marketing machinery.

"At the end of November the entire open interests on the Chicago Board of Trade, as recently given out by the Grain Futures Administration, was 132,833,000 bushels of wheat, 67,796,000 bushels of corn, 79,476,000 bushels of oats, 29,568,000 bushels of rye and 306,673,000 bushels for all grains.

"At the close of the market on Dec. 10, the open interests in wheat was 121,620,000 bushels; in corn, 78,526,000 bushels; oats, 93,486,000 bushels; rye, 28,980,000 bushels; all grains, 316,791,000 bushels."

## RAILWAY LAW COMMITTEE

### To Meet in Washington Jan. 8 to Consider Legislation.

The Law Committee of the Association of Railway Executives, representing the legal departments of practically every Class I railroad in the country, will meet at Washington on Jan. 8 to consider legislation and other legal matter concerning the railroads.

Of first importance will be the Cummings Consolidation bill, and the Law Committee will decide whether or not to take exception to the provisions of the proposed law for compulsory consolidation. While many of the railway officials are in favor of voluntary consolidation, they are opposed to any measure which would force them to enter into groupings against their wishes.

The Howell-Barkley bill for boards of arbitration for the settlement of railway labor disputes will be opposed.

## CORPORATE MEETINGS TODAY

**For Dividend Action.**

All American Cables.
United States Industrial Alcohol Company preferred stock.

**Annual Meetings.**

Dominion Oilcloth & Linoleum Company.

# BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

**FOREIGN ISSUES.**

Closing quotations for Government and municipal bonds issued in this country and in American currency values:

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Argentine 5s, 1945 M. & S. | 83¾ | 83¾ |
| Argentine 6s, 1957 M. & S. | 95 | 95¼ |
| Argentine 6s, 1957, w. i. | 95¼ | 95¾ |
| Argentine 7s, 1927 F. & A. | 101¾ | 102 |
| Austrian Gov. 7s, 1943 J. & D. | 97 | 97¼ |
| Belgium 6s, 1925 J. & J. | 100 | 100¼ |
| Belgium 6½s, 1940, rects. M. & S. | 93¾ | 94 |
| Belgium 7½s, 1945 J. & D. | 108¾ | 109 |
| Belgium 8s, 1941 F. & A. | 107¾ | 107½ |
| Brazil Cent. Rys. 7s, 1952 J. & D. | 82¼ | 82¾ |
| Can. Steamship 7s, 1942 M. & N. | 96¼ | 98 |
| City of Bergen 8s, 1945 M. & N. | 112 | .. |
| City of Bergen 6s, 1940 J. & D. | 96¼ | 96½ |
| City of Berne 8s, 1945 M. & N. | 111½ | 112 |
| City of Bordeaux 6s, 1934 M. & N. | 86¼ | 87 |
| City of Gt. Prague 7½s, '52 M. & N. | 91 | 91½ |
| City of F. Alegre 8s, 1961 J. & D. | 94 | 94½ |
| U. S. of Brazil 8s, 1941 J. & D. | 96 | 96¼ |
| U. S. of Brazil 7½s, 1952 A. & O. | 102¾ | 103 |
| Dom. of Canada 5s, 1926 A. & O. | 100¾ | 100¾ |
| Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1926 F. & A. | 102¾ | 102¾ |
| Dom. of Canada 5s, 1931 A. & O. | 101 | 101½ |
| Dom. of Canada 5s, 1952 M. & N. | 102¾ | 103 |
| Greek Gov. 7s, w. i. | 88¾ | 89¾ |
| Holland-Am. Line 8s, 1947 M. & N. | 73½ | 73½ |
| Hungary 7½s, 1944 M. & N. | 89¾ | 89½ |
| Rep. of Colom. 6½s, 1927 A. & O. | 99 | 99½ |
| Rep. of Chile 7s, 1942 M. & N. | 99½ | 100 |
| Rep. of Chile 8s, 1941 A. & J. | 106¾ | 107 |
| Rep. of Chile 8s, 1926 A. & O. | 103¾ | 103¾ |
| Rep. of Chile 8s, 1946 M. & N. | 107¼ | 107½ |
| Rep. of Haiti 6s, 1952 A. & O. | 91½ | 92 |
| Chinese Gov. 5s, 1951 J. & D. | 43 | 44 |
| City of Christiania 8s, '45 A. & O. | 110¼ | 111 |
| City of Christiania 6s, '54 M. & S. | 96¾ | 97¼ |
| City of Copen. 5½s, 1944 J. & J. | 94 | 94½ |
| City of B. Aires 6½s, '55 J. & J. | 95¾ | 95¾ |
| City of Montevideo 7s, '52 M. & N. | 88¾ | 89¼ |
| City of Trondhjem 6½s, '44 J. & J. | 97 | 97¼ |
| Czechoslovak Rep. 8s, 1951 A. & O. | 100¼ | 100½ |
| Czechoslovak Rep. 8s, 1952 A. & O. | 99¾ | 100¼ |
| Rep. of Bol. s. f. 8s, 1947 M. & N. | 92¼ | 92½ |
| Rep. Cuba ext. 5s, 1944 M. & S. | 97½ | .. |
| Rep. Cuba ext. 5s, 1949 F. & A. | 97 | .. |
| Rep. Cuba ext. 6½s, 1945 F. & A. | 87 | .. |
| Rep. Cuba 5½s, 1953 J. & J. | 97 | 97¼ |
| Denmark 8s, 1945 A. & O. | 110¾ | 110¾ |
| Denmark 6s, 1942 J. & J. | 99¾ | 100 |
| Dan. Mun. 8s, Ser. A, '46 F. & A. | 109¾ | 110 |
| Dan. Mun. 8s, Ser. B, '46 F. & A. | 109¾ | 110 |
| Dutch East Indies 6s, 1947 J. & J. | 97¾ | 98 |
| Dutch East Indies 6s, 1962 M. & S. | 97½ | 97¾ |
| Dutch East Indies 5½s March | 91¾ | 92 |
| Dutch East Indies 5½s Nov. | 91¾ | 91¾ |
| El Salvador 8s, 1948 J. & J. | 103¾ | 104 |
| Eram. Ind. & Dev. 7½s, '42 J. & J. | 93¾ | 93¾ |
| French Gov. 7½s, 1941 J. & D. | 100 | 100¼ |
| French Gov. 8s, 1945 M. & S. | 104 | 104½ |
| French Gov. 7s, 1949 J. & D. | 94 | 94½ |
| Finland 6s, 1945 M. & S. | 87½ | 87¾ |
| German Gold Loan 7s, '40 A. & O. | 95¼ | 95¾ |
| Italy 6½s, 1925 F. & A. | 100 | 100¼ |
| Japanese 6s, 1931 J. & J. | 82¾ | 83¼ |
| Ind. Bank (Japan) 6s, 1927 | 98¾ | 99¼ |
| Con. Power (Japan) 7s, 1944 | 91¾ | 91¾ |
| Japanese 6½s, 1954 F. & A. | 91¼ | 91½ |
| Oriental Dev. 6s, 1953 M. & S. | 84½ | 85¼ |
| Jurgens U. M. W. 6s, 1947 J. & J. | 85¾ | 86¼ |
| Nord. Ry. 6½s, 1950 A. & O. | 84 | 84¼ |
| City of Marseilles 6s, 1934 M. & N. | 86¾ | 87¼ |
| City of Marseilles 6s, 1934 M. & N. | 86¼ | 87 |
| City of Soissons 6s, 1936 M. & N. | 87½ | 87¾ |
| U. S. of Mexico 4s | 18½ | 19 |
| U. S. of Mex. 4s, '54 A. & J. | 18½ | 19¼ |
| U. S. of Mexico 4s, 1910 J. & J. | 22 | 22½ |
| U. S. of Mexico 5s | 23 | .. |
| U. S. of Mex. 5s, '45 A. & O. Jan. | 33¼ | 34 |
| U. S. of Mexico 6s, 1913 J. & J. | 36½ | 38 |
| Mex. Irrig. Works 4½s, '43 M. & N. | 18 | 25 |
| King. of Neth. 6s, 1972 M. & S. | 102¾ | 102¾ |
| King. of Neth. 6s, 1964 A. & O. | 100¼ | 100¼ |
| King. of Norway 8s, 1940 A. & O. | 112¾ | 112¾ |
| King. of Norway 6s, 1952 A. & O. | 96¾ | 96½ |
| King. of Norway 6s, 1943 F. & A. | 98 | 98½ |
| King. of Norway 6s, 1944 F. & A. | 97¾ | 98 |
| King. of S. C. & S. 8s, '62 M. & N. | 87¾ | 87¾ |
| Paris-Orl. R. R. 7s, 1954 M. & S. | 80¾ | 90 |
| Paris-Lyons-Med. 6s, 1958 F. & A. | 80¾ | 81 |
| Paris-Lyons 7s, 1905 M. & S. | 90 | 90¼ |
| Paulista Ry. 7s, 1942 M. & S. | 97 | 98 |
| State of Queensl'd 6s, 1947 F. & A. | 103 | 103¼ |
| State of Queensl'd 7s, '41 A. & O. | 109 | 109¼ |
| State of Rio Grande do Sul 8s, 1946 A. & O. | 94¾ | 94¾ |
| Rio Janeiro 8s, 1946 A. & O. | 94 | 94¾ |
| Rio Janeiro 8s, 1947 A. & O. | 93 | 93¾ |
| Rio Janeiro 8s, 1947 M. & N. | 100¼ | 100¼ |
| Rotterdam 6s, 1954 M. & N. | 100¼ | 100¾ |
| Dom. Rep. 5s, 1958 F. & A. | 101¾ | 102 |
| Dom. Rep. 5½s, 1942 M. & S. | 91¾ | 91¾ |
| State of Sao Paulo 8s, 1952 M. & N. | 98¾ | 99 |
| Dept. of the Seine 7s, 1942 J. & J. | 91¼ | 91¼ |
| King. of Sweden 6s, 1939 J. & D. | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| King. of Sweden 5½s, 1954 M. & N. | 86¼ | 86¾ |
| Swiss Confed. 8s, 1940 J. & J. | 115¾ | 115¾ |
| Swiss Gov. 6½s, 1946 A. & O. | 100¾ | 100¾ |
| City of Tokio 5s, 1952 M. & S. | 66 | 67 |
| Rep. of Uruguay 8s, 1946 F. & A. | 106 | 106½ |
| City of Zurich 8s, 1945 A. & O. | 110¾ | 111¼ |
| Un. K. 5½s, 1929 F. & A. | 115 | 115¼ |
| Un. K. 5½s, 1937 F. & A. | 100 | 100½ |
| U. S. S. Copen 6s, 1937 J. & J. | 91¼ | 93 |

**U. S. GOVERNMENT PRE-WAR LOANS.**

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| 2s, r, 1930 | 102¾ | 103¾ |
| 2s, c, 1930 | 102¾ | 103¾ |
| 3s, r, 1946 | 96 | 96 |
| 3s, c, 1946 | 96 | 96 |
| 4s, r, 1925 | 100¾ | 100¾ |
| 4s, c, 1925 | 100¾ | 100¾ |
| Pan 2s, r, 1938 | 101½ | 103 |

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Abi P & P. | 61 | 61½ |
| Adams Ex | 92 | 92¾ |
| Alb & Sus. | 198 | .. |
| Alle & W. | 100 | .. |
| Alli Rity. | 120 | .. |
| A C & D. | | |
| pf. | 97 | 117½ |
| Amal S 1st pf. | 95 | .. |
| Am Bk N. | 143½ | 154 |
| Do pf. | 53½ | 55 |
| Am S Sug pf. | 78½ | 81 |
| Am Can pf. | 113¾ | 116 |
| ex div. | | |
| Am Chicle pf. | 92 | .. |
| Do pf cfs. | 92 | .. |
| Am Coal. | 64 | .. |
| Am D S. | 5¾ | 6¼ |
| Am Metal pf. | 111½ | 115 |
| Am Piano pf. | 92 | 95 |
| Am Rad. | 131 | 133 |
| Do pf. | 120 | .. |
| Am Real M pf. | 106 | .. |
| Am Snuff pf. | 93½ | 100 |
| Am Stl Fdy pf. | 107 | 109 |
| Am T & C. | 33 | 39 |
| Am Tob pf. | 104½ | 105 |
| Am Type F. | 112¾ | 115 |
| Do pf. | 108½ | 109 |
| Am W W & E pf. | 79 | 85 |
| Am Whl pf. | 94 | 95 |
| Am Wr Pa pf cfs. | 1 | 2¼ |
| Ann Arbor. | 29 | 31 |
| Art Metal. | 14 | 15 |
| Assets R. | ⅝ | ¾ |
| Asso D G | | |
| 1st pf. | 101 | 103 |
| Atl R. pf. | 114 | 116 |
| Atlas Par. | 51 | 52 |
| Do pf. | 90½ | 91½ |
| Aus N pf. | 85 | 91 |
| Auto K. | 2¼ | 2¾ |
| Bald L pf. | 114 | 116 |
| B & A pf. | 92½ | 95 |
| Bar Leath pf. | 92 | 96 |
| Baruk Clg pf. | 96 | 97½ |
| Do 2d pf. | 100 | .. |
| B'ch Creek. | 38 | .. |
| B-Nut pf. | 113½ | .. |
| Bath S. | 6⅝ | .. |
| pf. | 106 | 115 |
| Bllmenthal pf. | .. | 89 |
| Brit W Stl. | 2 | 2½ |
| Do 1st pf. | 7 | 8¼ |
| Do 2d pf. | 1 | 3 |
| Brown Shoe pf. | 98 | 99 |
| B R & P. | 33 | 34 |
| B & S pf. | 46½ | 54 |
| Burns Bros pr pf. | .. | 118 |
| Bush Ter. | 66 | 73 |
| Bush Ter Bldg pf. | .. | 115 |
| Do pf. | 86 | 90 |
| Cal Pac. pf. | 97½ | 98¼ |
| Cal Stan. | 23¾ | 24¼ |
| Can Dry. | 57 | .. |
| Cent R M pf. | 94 | 96 |
| Chi Pn T. | 93 | 93½ |
| C & A cfs. | 6 | 9½ |
| Do pf cfs | 15 | 18½ |
| Chi. St P. | | |
| M & Om. | 56 | 57½ |
| C. C. C & St L. | 141 | 149 |
| Do pf. | 95 | .. |
| Cl & Pitts. | 68¾ | 70¾ |
| Do spec. | 39½ | .. |
| Coca-Cola | | |
| pf. | 93½ | 99½ |
| Col F & I pf. | 94 | 120 |
| C & S 1st pf. | 62¼ | 64 |
| Do 2d pf. | 56½ | 59½ |
| Com Inv T. | 50 | 53 |
| Do pf. | 101 | 104 |
| Con Cigar. | 27 | 27¼ |
| Do pf. | 81 | 85 |
| Cont C pf. | 112 | 114 |
| Cosden pf. | 83 | 84½ |
| Crex Carp. | 42 | 46 |
| Cuba R R pf. | 86 | .. |
| C-Am Sug pf. | 97¼ | 98½ |
| Cushman's Sons | 66¼ | 69 |
| Do 7% pf. | 100 | .. |
| Do 8% pf. | 100 | .. |
| D P & L. | 100 | .. |
| Do pf. | 89 | .. |
| De B M. | 21⅝ | 22⅜ |
| D & Co pf. | 80½ | 82 |
| D, H & S W. | 75 | .. |
| Det & M. | 50 | 58 |
| Do pf. | 70 | 90 |
| D & R 1st pf. | 97½ | 100 |
| Dia Match. | 117½ | 119 |
| Dome M. | 13½ | 13¾ |
| D, S S & A pf. | 7 | 8 |
| Du P deb. | 95 | 95⅝ |
| Dur Hos'y. | 5 | 9 |
| Do pf. | 35 | 56 |
| E Kod pf. | 111¼ | .. |
| Elk H Coal pf. | 21 | 24 |
| Emp Brass. | 2½ | 2¾ |
| Do pf. | 12 | 14 |
| End-J pf. | 113 | 115 |
| Erie & P. | 60 | 63 |
| Fairbanks. | 2¼ | 5 |
| Fed L & T. | 117 | 119 |
| Do pf. | 84 | 87 |
| Fifth Av B. | 11¾ | 12 |
| F B, O. pf. | 102 | 106 |
| G A T Car pf. | 96 | 99 |
| Gen Asp. pf. | 92 | 95 |
| Gen Bak'g. | 147 | 150 |
| Do pf. | 119 | 125 |
| Gen Cigar pf. | 106 | 108 |
| Do d pf. | 107 | 106½ |
| Gen M pf. | 92 | 93 |
| Do 6% d. | 92 | 92¾ |
| Gen Refrac | 43 | 44 |
| G T & R. pr pf. | 107¼ | 108 |
| G B & W. | 63 | 75 |
| Greene-C. | 16 | 16⅞ |
| Guan Sug. | 5¼ | 6 |
| Do pf. | .. | 92½ |
| G S S 1st pf. | 101 | 105 |
| Hack Wat. | 18¾ | .. |
| Hanna 1st pf. | 87 | 88 |
| Harb-W. | 122¼ | .. |
| Helme pf. | 67½ | 80 |
| Do pf. | 111¼ | .. |
| Hock Val. | 110 | .. |
| Hoe Co. | 48½ | 49½ |
| Hlnd & Man pf. | 64¾ | 65 |
| Ill C. pf. | 115¾ | 116¼ |
| Do 1 p. | 74 | 76 |
| Indian Ref pf. | 72 | 85 |
| Ing-Rand. | 245 | 255 |
| Do pf. | 102 | 105 |
| Inland Stl pf. | 105½ | .. |
| Int Agric. | 6¼ | 6½ |
| Do pr pf. | 39 | 45 |
| Int N pf. | 93¾ | 95 |
| Int Pa. pf. | 95 | .. |
| Do pf stp. | 71½ | 75 |
| Int Salt. | 74½ | 76¾ |
| Intertype C. | 24 | 26½ |
| Iowa Cent. | 1⅛ | 3 |
| Iron Pr pf. | 140 | .. |
| Jewel Tea pf. | 101 | 103 |
| Jol & Chi. | 121 | .. |
| J & L pf. | 110 | 111 |
| K C P & L. | 1st pf. 95 | 95¾ |
| Kan C Sq pf. | 57½ | 58½ |
| Kayser (J) 1st pf. | 88 | 89½ |
| Kelly Sp T 1st pf. | 53 | 54½ |
| Kelsey Whl pf. | 109 | .. |
| Kinney Co. | 92 | 95 |
| Kresge (S S). | 425¾ | 430 |
| Do pf. | 110 | 113¾ |
| Kresge D S pf. | 90 | 91 |
| Kress (S H). | 320 | .. |
| Do pf. | 129 | .. |
| Kup'heimer B. | 27 | 28 |
| Do pf. | 95 | 96½ |
| Laci Gas pf. | 76 | .. |
| L-W E 1st pf. | 104 | 106 |
| Do 2d pf. | 105¼ | 106 |
| Lorill'd Co pf. | 109 | 113½ |
| Do pf. | 102 | 106 |
| Mack Tr'ks 1st paid. | 109 | 112 |
| Do 1st pf. | 103½ | 107 |
| Do 2d pf. | 97½ | 100 |
| M'kay Cos. | 114¾ | 117 |
| Do pf. | 66 | 69 |
| Macy pf. | 114¾ | .. |
| Mah Coal. | 100 | .. |
| Mal'son pf. | 88 | 92½ |
| Man B'ch. | ⅝ | .. |
| Man Shirt pf. | 110 | 118½ |
| Manati Sug. | 52 | 56 |
| Do pf. | 80 | 84 |
| Mkt St Ry. | 7 | 9 |
| Do pr pf. | 44 | 45 |
| Do pf. | 20 | 28 |
| Do 2d pf. | 15 | 16½ |
| Math Alk pf. | 90 | 100 |
| M. Dep Sts pf. | 117¾ | 134 |
| Mid Chi pf. | 90¾ | 100 |
| Mid Ld. | 171 | 175 |
| Mich Cent. | 125 | 125 |
| Mid Stl Pr pf. | 90 | 98 |
| M S P & S M pf. | 67 | 70 |
| Do 1 p. | 59 | 62 |
| M & P pf. | 67½ | .. |
| Mo Pac pf. | 12¾ | 12¾ |
| Mont Pow pf. | 108¼ | 110 |
| Mor & Es. | 78 | 79 |
| Mull Body pf. | 82 | 87 |
| Nash Mots. | 188 | 191 |
| Do pf. | 104½ | 105 |
| N, C & St L. | 127 | 130 |
| Nat Acme. | 7¼ | 7½ |
| Nat Enam. | 30½ | 31½ |
| Do pf. | 79 | 84 |
| Nat Rys of M 1st pf. | 5 | 6 |
| Nat Surety | 171 | .. |
| N'pt N & H pf. | 75 | 81 |
| N Y & Q E | 52 | 59 |
| Do pf. | 83 | 93 |
| N Y B & M B pf. | 90 | .. |
| N Y Can pf. | 91 | .. |
| N Y L & West. | 100 | .. |
| N Y S Rys. | .. | 70 |
| Do pf. | .. | 83 |
| N Y Steam pf. | 95 | 97½ |
| Nia L A O Pow pf. | 101¾ | .. |
| N F Power | 43¼ | 45¼ |
| Do pf. | 28¼ | 29¾ |
| N & W pf. | 75¼ | 78 |
| Nor Cent. | 74 | .. |
| Nunnally. | 8½ | 9½ |
| Onyx Hos'y | 18 | 24 |
| Do pf. | 78 | 79 |
| Orph Circ pf. | 98 | 100 |
| Otis El pf. | 103 | 107½ |
| Owens Bot pf. | 110 | 112 |
| Pac Coast. | 28 | 33 |
| Do 1st pf | 54 | 70 |
| Do 2d pf. | 30 | 35 |
| Mack M C pf. | 103½ | 103 |
| P P & R pf. | 34 | 45 |
| Pan Am Pet cfs. | 48½ | 49 |
| Phillips-J. | 82 | 83 |
| Do pf. | 88 | 90 |
| Ph Hos'y. | 23 | 26 |
| Do pf. | 85 | 92 |
| P-Ar pr pf | 91 | 92 |
| P, C, C & St L. | 95 | .. |
| Pitts Coal pf. | 97 | 100 |
| Pitts Ft W & ctfs. | 48½ | 49 |
| Do pf. | 88 | 90 |
| Ph Hos'y. | 23 | 26 |
| Do pf. | 85 | 92 |
| P-Ar pr pf | 91 | 92 |
| P, C, C & St L. | 95 | .. |
| Pitts Coal pf. | 105¾ | 106¾ |
| Pitts Ut cfs | 15 | 15½ |
| P & W Va pf. | 130 | 131¼ |
| P Y & A pf. | 140 | .. |
| P R A Tob. | 50 | 61 |
| Postum Cer pf. | 116½ | 117 |
| P & R cfs. | 20 | .. |
| P S, N J. | 7% pf. 99 | 100¾ |
| Do 5% pf. | 111 | 112¾ |
| P S E Pow pf. | 100¾ | .. |
| Pure O pf. | 106 | 104 |
| R Bear 1 | 47 | 47¾ |
| Radio Corp pf. | 71¼ | 72 |
| Ry Stl Spr pf. | 78 | 81 |
| Sterl Prod. | 63½ | 63¾ |
| Stern Bros pf. | 112 | .. |
| Studeb pf. | 110 | 114½ |
| Sup Steel. | 31¼ | 32 |
| S P L Tr. | 270 | 320 |
| The Fair pf. | 105½ | .. |
| Third Av. | 12¼ | 13½ |
| Tob P W. | 120 | 130 |
| Tran & W. | 30 | 32 |
| U C R T pf. | 96½ | .. |
| Unit Type. | 35¾ | 36 |
| Do pf. | 114 | 120 |
| U B & P. | 45 | 46 |
| Union Oil. | ⅝ | ¾ |
| Un T Car. | 120 | 125 |
| Do pf. | 112 | 114 |
| U Cig Sts pf. | 114 | 115 |
| U Drew'd. | 26 | 27¼ |
| Do pf. | 82 | 85 |
| U S I P pf. | 100 | 102 |
| U S D Cor pf. | 145 | 152 |
| U S Exp. | 4⅝ | 5 |
| U S R & I pf. | 130 | 131¼ |
| Do pf. | 120 | 120½ |
| Do pf. | 101¾ | 110 |
| Van Raalte 1st pf. | 61 | 64 |
| Va-Car Ch cfs. | 4 | 4⅝ |
| Do B cfs. | ⅞ | 1 |
| Va I, C & Coke. | 39 | 42 |
| Do pf. | 75 | 85 |
| Vulcan Det | 4 | 10 |
| Do A. | 4 | 5 |
| Do pf. | 64¾ | 74 |
| Do pf A. | 40 | .. |
| Wash-C pf. | 103 | .. |
| W P Exp. | 12⅝ | 12¾ |
| W S & M pf. | 73 | 81 |
| Wor Pump pf. | 87 | 88 |
| Wrigley Jr. | 44¾ | 45 |


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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

| | |
|---|---|
| Assessed Valuation | $33,391,850 |
| Gross Debt | 3,718,882 |
| Deduction | $1,002,392 |
| Net Debt | 2,716,490 |

Population 32,490

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OUR SECOND BIRTHDAY

| | Dec. 18, 1923 | Dec. 18, 1924 |
|---|---|---|
| Capital & Surplus | $300,000 | $743,069 |
| Deposits | 184,467 | 2,067,942 |
| Total Resources | 484,467 | 2,811,011 |

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# EARLY WHEAT GAINS LOST AT THE CLOSE

### Break on Sales Follow Early Bulge That Passes All Records of the Season.

### A 3-CENT DROP IN CORN

### Patten Holds Receipts Too Large for Uses to Which Corn Can Be Put Just Now.

*Special to The New York Times.*

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Heavy selling of wheat and corn for profits by many prominent local professionals resulted in a sharp break after an early bulge that put all deliveries of wheat to a new high for the season. There was a general buying of wheat early by the public and also for foreign account, with around 1,000,000 bushels of December taken by leading seaboard interests, but the decidedly heavy undertone shown in corn, with Eastern as well as local interests selling on a big scale, finally unsettled all markets.

At the last, wheat was 1½ cent higher on December and ½@2¼ cents lower on the deferred futures, with July leading. Corn dropped 2⅝@3¼ cents for the day and oats 1⅛@1⅛ while rye showed independent strength and gained ½@⅝ cent on talk of Russia being after 1,100,000 bushels cash rye from this country, whereas it is normally the largest world's exporter.

Foreign news on wheat, taken as a whole, was the most bullish in a long time. Russia took 120,000 barrels flour for shipment as quick as possible to Petrograd. As Russia has started to buy within two months of harvest, the purchases were regarded as indicating sensational conditions in that country. Canadian mills were heavy and persistent buyers of futures at Winnipeg, and hedging against flour sales for export is said to have been the largest on record in the last few days.

A local house was credited with having bought December on a liberal scale in Winnipeg. There were well over 2,000,000 bushels of wheat bought by foreigners during the day, about half of which was domestic and the balance Manitobas.

G. W. Bevan of J. S. Bache & Co. was out with a statement suggesting that the world's exporting countries from Jan. 1 to June 30 would have 415,000,000 bushels available for importers' needs, or 65,000,000 bushels more than were actually cleared during the first six months of the crop year.

James A. Patten and some of the other leading local longs were free sellers of corn. Mr. Patten says that receipts are too large and that there is no use of which corn can be put at a profit at the present time. Farmers have just started to sell and the big-selling has reduced consumption. He is inclined, however, to look for higher prices later.

The break in oats was largely in sympathy with corn.

Primary arrivals of wheat today were 921,000 bushels; week ago, 1,137,000; last year, 1,257,000. Shipments were 1,134,000 bushels; week ago, 841,000; last year, 611,000.

Corn receipts were 1,433,000 bushels; week ago, 740,000; last year, 1,545,000, and shipments 384,000 bushels; week ago, 448,000; last year, 842,009.

**Chicago.**

Today's Chicago prices for the principal grains were as follows:

**WHEAT.**

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | $1.68 | $1.66½ | $1.66¾ | $1.63⅝ | $1.04¼ |
| May | 1.72½ | 1.69⅞ | 1.70 | 1.70¾ | 1.08¾ |
| July | 1.50⅛ | 1.47¼ | 1.47¼ | 1.49⅝ | 1.06¾ |

**CORN**

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | 1.26⅜ | 1.23¾ | 1.23¼ | 1.26 | .71⅝ |
| May | 1.31⅞ | 1.28 | 1.28⅛ | 1.31 | .73⅞ |
| July | 1.32 | 1.28⅝ | 1.28⅝ | 1.31¾ | .75 |

**OATS.**

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | .60⅝ | .58¼ | .58¼ | .60⅝ | .42⅝ |
| May | .65⅞ | .63⅝ | .64 | .65¾ | .45⅛ |
| July | .64⅝ | .62⅛ | .62⅛ | .64¼ | .43⅝ |

**RYE.**

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sept. | 1.30 | 1.27⅛ | 1.27⅛ | 1.44 | .68¾ |
| Dec. | 1.44 | 1.41¼ | 1.41¼ | 1.44 | .68¾ |
| May | 1.52¼ | 1.49 | 1.49⅝ | 1.49 | .74⅛ |
| July | 1.36⅜ | 1.34¼ | 1.34¼ | 1.35½ | .74 |

Cash prices for the principal grains at Chicago follow: Wheat, No. 2 hard, $1.66@1.69; No. 2 red, 1.67¼@1.69; No. 3 corn, No. 2 yellow, $1.27½@1.28; No. 2 mixed, $1.26; oats, No. 2 white, $.62@.63; No. 3 white, $.59¼@.60; rye, No. 2, $1.45¼.

**PROVISIONS.**

| Lard— | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 17.03 | 16.40 | 17.50 | 17.35 | |
| | 17.02 | 16.67 | 16.75 | 16.80 | 12.15 |
| | 17.15 | 16.92 | 17.00 | 16.95 | |
| | 17.37 | 17.00 | 17.10 | 17.07 | 12.20 |
| | 17.50 | 17.15 | 17.25 | 17.20 | |

**Winnipeg.**

Today's Winnipeg prices for the principal grains were as follows:

**WHEAT.**

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | 1.74¼ | 1.69 | 1.70½ | 1.69¾ | .92⅝ |
| May | 1.77 | 1.73⅞ | 1.74½ | 1.74⅞ | .98¼ |
| July | 1.75 | 1.72¼ | 1.72¾ | 1.72⅞ | 1.00 |

**OATS.**

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | .63⅜ | .62¼ | .62¼ | .62⅝ | .36½ |
| May | .69¼ | .67⅜ | .67⅞ | .68¼ | .41⅝ |
| July | .70 | .68¾ | .68¾ | .69¼ | |

# JUDGE GARY PREDICTS A PROSPEROUS YEAR

### Business Confidence Has Returned, Says Steel Executive in Optimistic Statement.

Great business prosperity awaits the country in 1925, according to Judge Elbert H. Gary, Chairman of Directors of the United States Steel Corporation, in an interview in the current issue of System. If this prosperity does not materialize, he adds, it will not be for lack of conditions or opportunity.

"Industry has turned the corner," says Judge Gary. "Money is plentiful, and that indefinable but none the less essential thing called business confidence has now returned.

"It is particularly gratifying and significant that new business has been accumulating naturally. There has been no artificial stimulant such as inflation. We are engaged in the process of meeting normal requirements, and the United States Steel Corporation, has been so entirely confident of an increasing demand that it has been expanding about $5,000,000 a month in enlarging its facilities.

"I have been called an optimist. This does not mean that I believe in shutting my eyes to circumstances which may harmfully affect business and life, instead of preparing to meet them, but that, setting off the good factors against the bad, the balance is generally in favor of the good. The bad factors must merely be endured for a while; they will be cured in time."

Judge Gary bases his prediction of continued prosperity in the new year on the vast amount of work to be done and the opportunities for growth of business in general, "policy of co-operation in world trade," he says, "would not only remove one of the large dangers of war but would be of advantage to all peoples because it would help maintain a world stability of prices. The same general thought may be advanced as to other commodities, but in the meantime our domestic market can be preserved by a judicious application of the tariff. There is such a vast amount of work to be done in every country of the world that there need be no fear of lack of demand. If any difficulties should arise, which I do not expect, as a result of several nations trying for the same markets, I think we are fully capable of holding our own. Our home market is probably greater than all the others of the world added together."

With your Christmas list a merry one if you have not helped the NEEDIEST

# 'CATS AND DOGS' GO IN 'CHANGE AUCTION

An unusually long list of securities were offered for public action at the Exchange salesrooms in Vesey Street yesterday by Adrian H. Mueller & Sons. The offering of inactive securities which are traded in on the local Exchanges is always large at this season, when the holders liquidate to establish losses in connection with income-tax payments for the year.

The securities sold yesterday included large blocks of stocks that Wall Street characterized as "cats and dogs." Among them were two blocks of stock of the Bitter Root Oil Company aggregating 4,500 shares. The lot brought $8. A block of 70 shares of Emergency Umbrella Company, Inc., common stock brought $5, while a block of 457 shares of Dunn Pen Company preferred and 280 shares of common netted only $2 to the owner. A $1,000 face value bond of the pen company was sold for $10. A block of $25,000 face value City of Bridgeport, Ala., 5 per cent. bonds brought only $25.

A block of $82,503 bonds of the Corraltos Consquhana, due in 1940, brought the owner only $95, and $89,100 face value bonds of the Valley Montana Land and Water Company, with all coupons thrown in, was disposed of for $75. Other sales included 50,000 shares of the Neills Mining Company, Inc., of Arizona, which brought the owner $225; a block of $200,000 Russian Government 5 per cent. treasury bonds which sold for $1,800 and $50,000 face value bonds of the Brooklyn Ferry Company of New York first consolidated mortgage 5 per cent. bonds was disposed of for $100.

### Live Stock Markets at Chicago.

*Special to The New York Times.*

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Packers were among the best buyers of hogs today and prices advanced 10@25 cents, to a top of $10. Heavy hogs closed strong while pigs and light weights were weak. Shippers took about 20 per cent. of the receipts of 40,000. The best lambs sold at former prices, with a top of $16.25, while other kinds were weak to 25 cents lower. The demand for sheep and yearlings was slow. Receipts were 17,000. Light receipts of cattle, 10,000, advanced prices 50@75 cents, demand showing improvement, and the general level is up $1@$1.50 from the recent low. Best heavy steers sold at $10.55, and long fed yearlings at $13.50.

# RAILS IN THE LEAD AS STOCKS CLIMB

### Fifty-two New High Records for the Year Are Made—All Averages Up.

### TURNOVER 1,907,815 SHARES

### Report of Fight for Control of the Lehigh Valley Causes Activity, but Is Denied.

More new high records were established in the stock market yesterday, with no diminution in the volume of trading. Railroad shares were the feature. Wall Street regarded the day as just another chapter in the bull market of 1924, but without any spectacular details. Stocks worked gradually into higher ground and at the day's peak the railroad shares showed the highest average reached since records have been compiled by THE NEW YORK TIMES. At the best prices of the day the average of fifty industrial shares was the highest since April 8, 1920, the peak of the bull market at that time. The combined average for railroad and industrial stocks was the highest ever reached.

Trading fell just short of the 2,000,000-share mark. The total was 1,907,815 shares. An aggregate of 526 issues was dealt in and fifty-two new high records for the year were established, of which thirteen were in the railroad issues and thirty-nine in the industrials. At the close the railroad stocks showed a gain of $0.36, had gained 1.19 for the day. The industrial stocks, closing at 128.74, gained .41, and the average for all classes of stocks, at 104.55, had gained .80.

Trading centred very largely in the railroad shares. The feature was Lehigh Valley with some of the other coal-carriers, including Baltimore & Ohio, Reading and New Haven. Reports were current that a fight for control of the Lehigh Valley had developed among the heads of certain other railroads, but these were denied.

It was evident yesterday that the railroad stocks were being purchased widely, not only by the professionals of Wall Street but by the country as a whole. Apparently also, the industrial shares were being liquidated under the screen of strength in the railroad shares. Most of the erstwhile leaders of the industrial group were quietly firm yesterday and with none of the pyrotechnics which had characterized them in the last few days. Outside participation continues on a large scale, and thus far professional liquidation has not been of sufficient importance to affect the trend established immediately after the election.

### UNITED STATES INSULAR AND TERRITORIAL BONDS.

| | Rate. | Date. | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Terr. of Hawaii | 4 | Aug., 1941-31 | 97¼ | 97⅝ |
| Terr. of Hawaii | 4½ | Aug., 1956-44 | 102 | 104 |
| Philippine Govt. | 4½ | July, 1952 | 96⅜ | 98 |
| Philippine Govt. | 5½ | Sep., 1926-30 | 102 | 103½ |
| Philippine Govt. | 5½ | Aug., 1941 | 105 | 106¾ |

### DECLARED DIVIDENDS.

| Company. | Rate. | Per-iod. | Pay-able. | Hldrs. of Record. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Abitibi P. & P. pf... | 1¾ | Q | Jan. 2 | Dec. 20 |
| Am. Can pf. | 1¾ | Q | Jan. 2 | Dec. 19 |
| Am. Shipbldg. pf... | 1¾ | Q | Feb. 2 | Jan. 15 |
| Balt & Ohio..... | 1 | Q | Mar. 2 | Jan. 10 |
| Do pf..... | 1½ | Q | Mar. 2 | Jan. 10 |
| Canada Cement..... | 1½ | Q | Jan. 15 | Dec. 31 |
| Chem. Nat. Bk.... | 4 | p.c. | Mo. | Jan. 2 | Dec. 20 |
| Cream. Pack. Mfg.... | 50c | Q | Jan. 10 | Jan. 1 |
| Do pf..... | 1½ | Q | Jan. 10 | Jan. 1 |
| Crucible Steel..... | 1 | Q | Jan. 31 | Jan. 15 |
| Dixon (Jos.) Cruc.. | 2 | Q | Dec. 31 | Dec. 22 |
| Fidelity Int. Trust.. | 2½ | Q | Dec. 31 | Dec. 19 |
| Fifth Av. Bus Sec.... | 16c | Q | Jan. 16 | Jan. 2 |
| Hamilton Brown Shoe | 25c | Mo | Jan. 1 | Dec. 18 |
| Do ..... | 25c | Ex | Dec. 23 | Dec. 16 |
| Johns-Manville..... | 75c | Q | Jan. 2 | Dec. 10 |
| Manning, Max. & M. | 1¾ | Q | Jan. 3 | Dec. 31 |
| Mech. Mer. Nat. Bk. | 5 | Q | Jan. 2 | Dec. 20 |
| Metropolitan Trust.. | 4 | Q | Dec. 31 | Dec. 19 |
| Mid. West. Util. pf. | $1.75 | Q | Jan. 15 | Dec. 31 |
| N. Y. Air Brake..... | $1 | Q | Feb. 2 | Jan. 7 |
| Do Class A pf.... | $1 | Q | Apr. 1 | Mar. 19 |
| N. Y. Trust..... | 5 | Q | Jan. 2 | Dec. 20 |
| Northern Pacific .... | 1½ | Q | Feb. 2 | Dec. 31 |
| Ohio River Ed. pf. | $1.75 | Q | Jan. 2 | Dec. 22 |
| Pacific Gas & El.... | $2 | Q | Jan. 15 | Dec. 31 |
| Standard Screen..... | 3 | Q | Jan. 1 | Dec. 15 |
| Do pf..... | 3 | SA | Jan. 1 | Dec. 15 |
| Telautograph pf .... | $1.75 | Q | Jan. 10 | Dec. 31 |
| Tuchett Tobacco..... | 1½ | Q | Jan. 15 | ..... |
| Do pf..... | 1¾ | Q | Jan. 15 | ..... |
| Underwood C. M. pf. | $1.75 | Q | Jan. 1 | Dec. 20 |
| United Verde Ext... | 50c | Q | Feb. 2 | Jan. 13 |
| West Pa. Pwr. pf.... | 1¾ | Q | Jan. 2 | Dec. 15 |
| White Rock Min. Spgs. | 25c | Q | Dec. 31 | Dec. 22 |
| Do 1st pf..... | 1¾ | Q | Dec. 31 | Dec. 22 |
| Winnipeg Ry..... | 1 | ... | Feb. 1 | Jan. 15 |

# OUT-OF-TOWN EXCHANGES

## BOSTON.

**Mining.**

| Sales. | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 40 Anaconda ... | 42 | 42 | 42 |
| 110 Arcadian ... | 1¾ | 1¾ | 1¾ |
| 180 Ariz Comi... | 11¼ | 11¼ | 11¼ |
| 250 Bingham .... | 27 | 26¾ | 26¾ |
| 275 Cal & Hecla.. | 104 | 104 | 104 |
| 50 Cal & Arizona | 53 | 53 | 53 |
| 100 Carson ..... | 80 | 80 | 80 |
| 140 Cop Range... | 26¾ | 26¼ | 26¼ |
| 45 Franklin .... | 40 | 40 | 40 |
| 110 Island Creek | 139 | 138 | 138 |
| 110 Isle Royale.. | 17¾ | 17 | 17 |
| 170 Kennecott .. | 54½ | 53¾ | 54¼ |
| 75 Mayflower .. | 2¼ | 2 | 2 |
| 20 Mohawk .... | 35½ | 34½ | 35 |
| 10 Nevada..... | 14¾ | 14¾ | 14¾ |

**Railroads.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 18 Bos & Alb... | 158½ | 158½ | 158½ |
| 160 Bos Elev.... | 75 | 74½ | 75 |
| 15 Do 1st pf.. | 112 | 112 | 112 |
| 72 Do 2d pf... | 93 | 93 | 93 |
| 25 Bangor & A. | 42¾ | 42¾ | 42¾ |
| 520 Bos & Maine | 20 | 18½ | 20 |

**Miscellaneous.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 85 Am Brick .. | 11¼ | 11 | 11 |
| 50 Am Agr pf... | 38½ | 38½ | 38½ |
| 25 Amoskeag .. | 74 | 74 | 74 |
| 725 Am Pneu .. | 3¾ | 3¼ | 3¼ |
| 70 *Do pf.... | 18½ | 18¼ | 18¼ |
| 850 Am Sugar.. | 54¾ | 52¾ | 53¾ |
| 240 Am Tel ..... | 133¾ | 133¾ | 133¾ |
| 560 Am Woo1.... | 65¼ | 64 | 65¼ |
| 28 Do pf..... | 96 | 95¾ | 95¾ |
| 550 Atlas Tack.. | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ |
| 4 Bos C G pf.. | 107 | 107 | 107 |
| 30 East Mfg.... | 5¼ | 5¼ | 5¼ |
| 585 East S S.... | 54 | 53 | 53 |
| 25 Do pf..... | 37 | 37 | 37 |
| 26 Galv-Hous... | 40 | 40 | 40 |
| 100 Gen Elec.... | 251¾ | 251¾ | 251¾ |
| 35 Gillette .... | 56¾ | 55¾ | 56 |
| 160 Hood Rub... | 60 | 59¾ | 59¾ |
| 320 Int Prod pf. | 11 | 11 | 11 |
| 765 J T Connor. | 22½ | 22 | 22 |
| 90 Lowe's ..... | 12½ | 11¾ | 11¾ |
| 2 Mass Gas .... | 70¾ | 70¾ | 70¾ |
| 26 Do pf..... | 64 | 63¾ | 63¾ |

**Bonds.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| $8,000 A G W 5s... | 60 | 59¾ | 59¾ |
| 1,000 East M 5s.. | 70 | 70 | 70 |
| 10,000 Hood R 7s.. | 101¾ | 101¼ | 101¾ |

## BALTIMORE.

**Stocks.**

| Sales. | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 60 Alabama Co | 78 | 77½ | 77½ |
| 195 Arundel Corp | 89 | 88¾ | 89 |
| 75 Balt Brick... | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| 85 Balt Tube pf | 64 | 63 | 63 |
| 11 C & P T pf. | 112 | 111¾ | 111¾ |
| 170 Citizens N B | 53½ | 53 | 53¾ |
| 127 Com Credit. | 26¾ | 26 | 26 |
| 98 Do pf..... | 25¾ | 25 | 25¼ |
| 29 Do pf B.... | 26 | 26 | 26 |
| 10 Con G, E L & P..... | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| 10 Do 5% pf. | 100¾ | 100¾ | 100¾ |
| 1 Do 6½% pf. | 105¼ | 105¼ | 105¼ |
| 21 EastRolMill. | 100½ | 100 | 100 |
| 18 Do pf..... | 110 | 110 | 110 |
| 25 Finan Co of Am pf .... | 28¾ | 28¾ | 28¾ |
| 50 Fin Serv pf. | 9¼ | 9¼ | 9¼ |
| 25 Hous Oil pf. | 94¾ | 94¾ | 94¾ |
| 64 Indiana, R.. | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| 20 Mfrs Fin pf | 25½ | 25½ | 25½ |
| 50 M Ver Mills | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| 20 Do pf..... | 82 | 82 | 82 |
| 20 Merch Nat Bk | 221½ | 221½ | 221½ |
| 15 Monon Pow 7% pf..... | 20 | 20 | 20 |
| 5 N Am Cas'y | 43¾ | 43¾ | 43¾ |
| 300 Silica Gel.. | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| 14 U S F & G.. | 183 | 180 | 180 |
| 100 W, B & A Elec Ry.. | 7½ | 7¾ | 7½ |

**Bonds.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| $1,000 Balt El 5s.. | 100¼ | 100¼ | 100¼ |
| 3,000 Con G, E L & P 8s.. | 99⅞ | 99⅞ | 99⅞ |
| 1,000 Elkhorn 6s.. | 99⅞ | 99⅞ | 99⅞ |
| 1,000 M V Trac 5s | 88 | 88 | 88 |
| 1,000 M, D & S 5s | 74¾ | 74¾ | 74¾ |

## PITTSBURGH.

**Stocks.**

| Sales. | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 700 Ark Nat Gas. | 5¾ | 5¾ | 5¾ |
| 30 Am W G, M | 88½ | 88½ | 88½ |
| 25 Carn L Z.... | 3¾ | 3¾ | 3¾ |
| 760 Lone Star G | 33 | 32½ | 32½ |
| 100 Nat Firepfg. | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| 340 Do pf..... | 32½ | 32½ | 32½ |
| 25 Ohio Fuel Oil. | 13¼ | 13¼ | 13¼ |
| 55 Okla. Nat G. | 27¼ | 27¼ | 27¼ |
| 130 Cont Motors | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ |
| 310 CornProdRef | 42¼ | 41½ | 41¾ |
| 210 Coeden Co.... | 26 | 25½ | 26 |
| 870 Crucible Stl. | 72¾ | 71¾ | 71¾ |
| 110 Cuban Am S | 20¼ | 20¼ | 20¼ |
| 130 Cuba Cane S | 13¼ | 13¼ | 13¼ |
| 150 Do pf..... | 50¾ | 49¾ | 50 |
| 170 Cuyamel Frt | 54¾ | 53¾ | 54¼ |
| 510 Davison Ch. | 44¼ | 43¾ | 44 |
| 230 Del & Hud.. | 134¾ | 133¾ | 133¾ |
| 330 Del, L & W. | 45¾ | 45¼ | 45¼ |
| 150 Doug Pectin | 15½ | 15½ | 15½ |
| 110 Du P de N. | 136¾ | 136 | 136 |
| 150 Eastman K. | 110¼ | 110¼ | 110¼ |
| 130 Eaton A & S | 15¼ | 15¼ | 15¼ |
| 110 ElecStorBat. | 84¾ | 84¾ | 84¾ |
| 301 Endicott-J.. | 69¼ | 69¼ | 69¼ |
| 130 Erie,..... | 32¾ | 32 | 32¾ |
| 335 Do 1st pf.. | 47¾ | 46¾ | 47¾ |
| 150 Exon Buffet. | 22¾ | 22¾ | 22¾ |
| 210 Famous P L | 94¾ | 93 | 93¾ |
| 330 Fed M & S.. | 22¼ | 19¾ | 22¼ |
| 700 Do pf..... | 83 | 82¾ | 82¾ |
| 430 Fisk Rub... | 13 | 12¾ | 12¾ |
| 170 Fleischmann. | 83¾ | 82¾ | 82¾ |
| 430 Foundation.. | 94¾ | 93 | 93¾ |
| 270 Gen Asphalt | 57¾ | 56¾ | 57 |
| 110 Gen Class.. | 96¾ | 96¼ | 96¼ |
| 1,170 Gen Elec.... | 281¾ | 279½ | 280¾ |
| 170 Do special. | 11¼ | 11¼ | 11¼ |
| 150 Gen Petrol.. | 41¾ | 41 | 41 |
| 170 Gimbel Bros. | 60¾ | 60¾ | 60¾ |
| 130 Ginter..... | 23¾ | 23¾ | 23¾ |
| 410 Goodrich Co. | 37 | 36¾ | 36¾ |
| 110 Gold Dust... | 41¾ | 41¾ | 41¾ |
| 330 Gray Tel pf. | 40 | 40 | 40 |
| 575 Gt North pf. | 75¾ | 73¾ | 74¾ |
| 120 Do ctfs for ore prop... | 35¾ | 35 | 35¼ |
| 150 Gt West Sug. | 32¾ | 32¼ | 32¼ |
| 130 GulfStatesStl | 81¾ | 81¾ | 81¾ |
| 450 Hud&ManRR | 25¾ | 25¼ | 25¾ |
| 185 Hartman Grp | 37¾ | 37¾ | 37¾ |
| 170 Hayes Wheel | 38¾ | 37¾ | 37¾ |
| 150 H'hold Prods | 36 | 36 | 36 |
| 310 Houston Oil. | 76¾ | 75½ | 75½ |
| 305 Hudson Mtr. | 34¾ | 34¼ | 34¼ |
| 135 Hupp M Car | 17 | 17 | 17 |
| 410 Hydraulic Stl | 1¾ | 1¾ | 1¾ |
| 170 Illinois Cent. | 118¾ | 115¾ | 116¼ |
| 150 Inland Steel. | 47¾ | 47¼ | 47¾ |
| 120 Inspira Cop. | 30¾ | 30¼ | 30¼ |
| 110 IntAgrNatCh | 34¾ | 34¼ | 34¼ |
| 175 Int Cement. | 53¾ | 53¾ | 53¾ |
| 110 IntBusMach.. | 114¾ | 114¼ | 114¼ |
| 170 Int Combust | 37¼ | 36¾ | 36¾ |
| 210 Int Harvest | 107¾ | 107¼ | 107¾ |
| 170 Int Mer Mar | 13¾ | 13¼ | 13¼ |
| 570 Do pf..... | 44¾ | 44 | 44¾ |
| 210 Int Nickel... | 24¼ | 23¾ | 23¾ |
| 250 Int Paper... | 51¾ | 51¼ | 51¾ |
| 310 Int Tel & Tel | 91¾ | 89¾ | 90¾ |
| 305 Invincible Oil | 15¾ | 15¼ | 15¼ |
| 110 Iron Prods... | 83 | 83 | 83 |
| 230 Jordan Mtrs. | 51¾ | 51 | 51¾ |
| 170 Jones B Tea | 20 | 18¾ | 20 |
| 270 Kayser J Co | 27¼ | 27¼ | 27½ |
| 210 Kan City Sou | 36¾ | 36¾ | 36¾ |
| 310 KellySpgfTire | 31¾ | 31¾ | 31¾ |
| 270 Kenne Cop.. | 54¾ | 53¾ | 54¼ |
| 210 Key T & R.. | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 130 Kresge D S | 46¾ | 46¼ | 46¾ |
| 180 Lee Rub & T | 13¼ | 13¼ | 13¼ |
| 1,070 Lehigh Val. | 85¾ | 85¼ | 85¾ |
| 139 Lima L Wks | 69¼ | 67¾ | 68½ |
| 670 Loew's, Inc. | 24¾ | 23¾ | 24 |
| 270 Loft, Inc.... | 76¾ | 75¼ | 75¾ |
| 110 Loose-Wiles. | 77¾ | 77¼ | 77¾ |
| 750 Lorillard(P) | 84¾ | 84¾ | 84¾ |
| 135 Ludlum Stl. | 34¼ | 34¼ | 34½ |
| 210 Mack Truck. | 113¾ | 112¾ | 113¾ |
| 150 Magma Cop. | 37¾ | 37¼ | 37¼ |
| 150 McIn Porcu. | 15 | 14¾ | 15 |
| 170 Macy Co.... | 70¾ | 70¾ | 70¾ |
| 170 Mallinson... | 36¾ | 35¾ | 36¼ |
| 170 Mc'albo Oil. | 28½ | 28½ | 28½ |
| 170 Math Alkali | 56 | 52¾ | 54¼ |
| 110 Man El Sup | 43¾ | 43¾ | 43¾ |
| 230 Del, Lack & W | 44¾ | 44¼ | 44¾ |
| 150 Man Shirt... | 31¾ | 31 | 31¼ |
| 610 Marl O & R | 37¾ | 36¾ | 37¼ |
| 370 Martin Rock | 13 | 12¾ | 13 |
| 170 Martin Parry | 37 | 36¾ | 37 |
| 130 Max Mot, A. | 84 | 82¾ | 82¾ |
| 110 Do B..... | 37¼ | 37¼ | 37¼ |
| 170 May Dep St. | 112¾ | 111¾ | 111¾ |
| 110 McCrory St. Corp, B.. | 97¼ | 96 | 97¼ |
| 210 Mex Sea Oil | 20¾ | 20¼ | 20¼ |
| 110 Miami Cop.. | 22¾ | 22¼ | 22¼ |
| 130 Mid Cont Pet | 21¾ | 21¾ | 21¾ |
| 150 Minn & St L. | 3¾ | 3¾ | 3¾ |
| 170 Mo, K & T. | 20 | 20¾ | 20¾ |
| 150 Do pf..... | 73¾ | 73¾ | 73¾ |
| 370 Mo Pacific.. | 33¾ | 33¼ | 33¼ |
| 470 Do pf..... | 73¾ | 72¾ | 72¾ |
| 110 Mont Power | 71¾ | 71¼ | 71¼ |
| 130 Mother Lode | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ |
| 130 Mont Ward.. | 41¾ | 40¾ | 41¼ |
| 130 Nat Biscuit. | 72¾ | 72¼ | 72¼ |
| 130 Nat C & S.. | 69¾ | 69¾ | 69¾ |
| 170 NatDairyPr.. | 41¾ | 41¼ | 41¼ |
| 110 Nat Enam... | 29¾ | 29¾ | 29¾ |
| 170 Nat Lead... | 180¾ | 179 | 180¾ |
| 109 NatRys ofMex 2d pf..... | 2¼ | 2¼ | 2¼ |
| 810 N Y Air B.. | 52¾ | 49¾ | 52¾ |
| 110 Do A..... | 54¾ | 54¾ | 54¾ |
| 530 N Y Cent.. | 118¼ | 117¾ | 118 |
| 100 N Y Dock.. | 30¼ | 29¾ | 29¾ |
| 330 N Y, N H & H | 32¾ | 32¼ | 32¼ |
| 330 N Y, O & W | 27¾ | 26¾ | 26¾ |
| 170 Norf & Wes. | 126 | 125¼ | 125¾ |
| 150 North Amer. | 42¾ | 42¼ | 42¾ |
| 170 North Cal.. | 42¾ | 42¼ | 42¾ |
| 170 Norf & Sou. | 28¾ | 28¼ | 28¼ |
| 180 Orph Circuit | 26 | 26 | 26 |
| 410 Otis Elevat. | 84¼ | 83¾ | 83¾ |
| 130 Owens Bot.. | 43¾ | 43½ | 43½ |
| 130 Pac G & E.. | 108¾ | 108¾ | 108¾ |
| 170 Pacific Oil.. | 51¾ | 51¼ | 51¼ |
| 170 Pan Am Pet. | 14¾ | 14¾ | 14¾ |
| 230 Park & Til.. | 34 | 33¾ | 33¾ |
| 410 Pan-A P & T | 59¼ | 58¼ | 59 |
| 470 Do B..... | 56¾ | 56¾ | 56¾ |
| 130 Panhan R R.. | 40¾ | 40 | 40 |
| 670 Pa Seab Stl | 2 | 1¾ | 1¾ |
| 170 Penn Mary.. | 70¼ | 69¾ | 70 |
| 710 Phila Co... | 54½ | 53¾ | 54½ |
| 110 Phila Elec.. | 39¾ | 39¼ | 39¾ |
| 710 Phil Morris. | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| 410 Phillips Pet. | 35¾ | 35¼ | 35¾ |
| 110 Pierce-Arrow | 14¾ | 14 | 14 |
| 110 Pierce Oil... | 1¾ | 1¾ | 1¾ |
| 110 Pierce Oil... | 5¾ | 5¼ | 5¼ |
| 110 Pitts Coal... | 59¾ | 59 | 59 |
| 210 Post Cereal.. | 96¾ | 96¾ | 96¾ |
| 470 Prod & Ref.. | 37¼ | 37¼ | 37¼ |
| 120 Pub Ser N J.. | 104¾ | 104¼ | 104¾ |
| 150 Pullman Co.. | 143¾ | 143 | 143¾ |
| 110 Punta Al Su | 40¼ | 39¾ | 40¼ |
| 135 Radio Corp.. | 48 | 46¾ | 46¾ |
| 170 Ry Stl Spr.. | 131¼ | 129¼ | 131½ |
| 170 Ray Con Cop | 16¾ | 15¾ | 15¾ |
| 210 Reading .... | 78 | 76¾ | 77½ |
| 170 Reyn(RJ),B. | 77¾ | 77¼ | 77¾ |
| 380 ReynStSpgs | 17¼ | 16 | 16 |
| 170 Rem'tonType | 50¾ | 49¾ | 49¾ |
| 170 ReplogleSteel | 21¾ | 21¼ | 21¾ |
| 200 RepironSStl. | 55¾ | 55¾ | 55¾ |
| 300 RoyDutchNY | 43¾ | 41¾ | 42¾ |
| 570 St. L-San Fr | 27¾ | 27¼ | 27¼ |
| 510 St L S W... | 54¾ | 52¾ | 54¾ |
| 150 Do pf..... | 72¾ | 72¼ | 72¾ |
| 270 Savage Arms | 86¾ | 86¾ | 86¾ |
| 190 SchulteRet8. | 108 | 108 | 108 |
| 110 Seabd Air L | 22¾ | 22¾ | 22¾ |
| 110 Do pf..... | 40¾ | 40¾ | 40¾ |
| 470 Sears-Roeb.. | 144¾ | 142¾ | 144¾ |
| 130 Seneca Cop.. | 1¾ | 1¾ | 1¾ |
| 110 Shat-Arizona | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| 130 Shell Un Oil. | 21¾ | 21¼ | 21¼ |
| 210 Simmons Co. | 33¾ | 33¼ | 33¼ |
| 190 Simms Pet.. | 17¾ | 17¼ | 17¼ |
| 400 Sinclair Cons | 16¾ | 16 | 16 |
| 130 Sloss-Shef$&I | 80¾ | 79¾ | 80¼ |
| 1,780 SouthernPac. | 105¾ | 103¾ | 104¾ |
| 410 Southern Ry.. | 17¾ | 17½ | 17¾ |
| 150 Spicer Mfg.. | 19¾ | 19 | 19 |
| 230 Std Gas & E | 40¾ | 40¾ | 40¾ |
| 150 Std Oil Cal.. | 61¼ | 61¼ | 61¼ |
| 110 Std Oil Kan.. | 37¾ | 37¼ | 37¼ |
| 420 Std Pi Glass | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ |
| 2,130 Stewart-War | 72¾ | 69¾ | 71¾ |
| 150 Stromberg Car | 69¾ | 68¾ | 69¾ |
| 260 Studebaker.. | 45¾ | 45¼ | 45¾ |
| 150 St Joe Lead. | 43 | 43 | 43 |
| 150 Submn. Boat. | 11¼ | 11¼ | 11¼ |
| 170 Tenn C & C. | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ |
| 110 Texas Co.... | 37¾ | 37¼ | 37¼ |
| 130 Tex-Gulf Sul | 96¼ | 95¾ | 95¾ |
| 980 Tex & Pac.. | 45¾ | 45¾ | 45¾ |
| 170 Tex Pac Coal&O | 10¾ | 10¾ | 10¾ |
| 1,070 TimkenRoll.. | 38 | 37¼ | 37¾ |
| 170 Tob Prods... | 72 | 70¾ | 72 |
| 400 Transcon Oil | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| 410 Union Pac.. | 151¾ | 150¾ | 150¾ |
| 3,270 Unity Rplgn. | 43¾ | 39¾ | 41¾ |
| 670 Do pf..... | 74¾ | 73¾ | 73¾ |
| 270 U S Smelting | 37 | 33¾ | 35 |
| 170 U S Drug.... | 120¾ | 118¾ | 120¾ |
| 130 Un Ry Inv... | 31¾ | 29¾ | 30¾ |
| 530 USCIP& Ry.. | 151 | 151 | 151 |
| 430 USDistCorp | 43 | 38 | 39¾ |
| 440 USIndPfMach. | 24¾ | 23¾ | 23¾ |
| 470 US Ind Alco | 85¾ | 83¾ | 84¾ |
| 150 USRity&Imp. | 128¾ | 127¾ | 127¾ |
| 475 U S Rubber.. | 41¾ | 40¾ | 40¾ |
| 1,070 U S Steel... | 119¼ | 117¾ | 118¾ |
| 140 Utah Sec.... | 45¼ | 44¾ | 45¼ |
| 150 Vanad Cop.. | 29 | 29 | 29 |
| 310 Va-Car Ch... | 29¾ | 27¾ | 28¼ |
| 150 Do pf..... | 89¾ | 89 | 89 |
| 280 Wabash Pr.. | 23 | 22¾ | 23 |
| 270 Wabash pfA | 61 | 59 | 59 |
| 440 Western Md. | 14¾ | 13¾ | 14¼ |
| 150 Do 2d pf.. | 24¾ | 23¾ | 24¼ |
| 130 West Pacific | 35¾ | 34¾ | 35¾ |
| 150 West U Tel.. |

# COTTON CONTRACTS READILY ABSORBED

### New Buying Power Enters the Market, With Prices Up 27 to 31 Points.

### EXPORTS ARE STIMULATING

### Reports of a Larger Dry Goods Trade Are Another Factor Causing a Turn in the Demand.

The cotton market not only recovered the late afternoon setback of the previous session, but advanced yesterday to new high levels for the present movement. The combined buying power represented by purchases by those who had sold for a decline last week, price fixing by domestic mills, arbitrage operations between New York and Liverpool and more active commission house participation, absorbed all realizing and Southern selling at the advance. Exports of 137,000 bales and reports of a larger dry goods trade than for many weeks had a stimulating influence on sentiment. On a substantial volume of business final prices showed a gain of 27 to 32 points for the day.

When the reaction of 30 points in American markets late Tuesday failed to weaken foreign prices and Liverpool advanced again yesterday, the recent buying movement was resumed after the opening. Arbitrage houses took contracts steadily the first hour as a result of the strength abroad, where contracts were sold against purchases in New York. A broadening trade encouraged more active operations by local and other interests and the volume of business increased to even larger proportions than that of the previous session. A feature of the morning was a 20-point rise in October which later gained another 20 points to 24¼ cents, highest figures yet quoted for the crop of 1925. This price was above that reached last month when May contracts were selling at 25.75, compared with 24.70, the high price for May reached yesterday. After starting the season 200 points under the May position, March sold yesterday about 40 points under May quotations. With exports of 137,000 bales following 94,000 bales the previous day, or an aggregate of 232,000 bales in two days, absorption of contracts continued until all months sold at highest levels in several weeks. This brought quotations a few points over the best figures of Tuesday and over a cent and a quarter above low levels of last week. Though the market again encountered realizing as well as selling by Southern interests, reactions were limited and a quantity of cotton wanted by European interests on the close left final prices not far from high figures of the session.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Previous Day. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | 23.60 | 23.80 | 23.58 | 23.74 | 23.46 |
| Jan. | 23.65 | 23.93 | 23.65 | 23.86@23.85 | 23.56 |
| March | 24.10 | 24.33 | 24.08 | 24.25@24.29 | 23.96 |
| May | 24.50 | 24.70 | 24.47 | 24.61@24.65 | 24.32 |
| July | 24.68 | 24.79 | 24.61 | 24.77 | 24.47 |
| Oct. | 24.04 | 24.28 | 24.04 | 24.18@24.22 | 23.87 |

The local market for spot cotton was steady at 25 points advance: 24.25 for middling upland.

Southern spot markets were: Galveston, sales 2,920, 24c, 30 points advance; New Orleans, sales 1,584, 24.15, 30 points advance; Norfolk, sales 1,265, 23.58, 32 points advance; Augusta, sales 1,132, 23.81, 25 points advance; Memphis, sales 6,000, 23.75, unchanged; Houston, sales 6,552, 23.90, 25 points advance; Little Rock, sales 2,863, 23.75, 25 points advance; Dallas, sales 10,443, 23.05, 25 points advance.

Yesterday's cotton statistics were:

| | Yesterday. | Last Wk. | Last Yr. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Port receipts | 92,850 | 51,998 | 27,778 |
| Exports | 137,175 | 31,047 | 6,000 |
| Exports, season | 3,049,897 | 3,442,837 | 3,036,828 |
| N. Y. stocks | 209,415 | 206,478 | 141,697 |
| Ports stocks | 1,502,794 | 1,570,837 | 1,016,716 |
| N. Y. arrivals | 4,672 | 4,154 | 5,558 |

Liverpool Cables—Spot cotton quiet, 1 point advance, 13.27d for middling; sales 5,000, American, 3,000; imports, 8,000; American, 8,000. Futures opened steady to 3 points decline; closed very steady, 16 to 17 points advance. Prices: Dec. 13.19, Jan. 13.23, March 13.29, May 13.38, July 13.37.

Manchester: Yarns, more demand; cloths, good inquiry.

## SOUTHERN MILLS UNITE.

### Baldwin, Glenn Lowry and Aragon Companies Form New Corporation.

*Special to The New York Times.*

CHESTER, S. C., Dec. 17.—One of the largest and strongest textile manufacturing organizations in the South was formed here today, to be known as the Aragon-Baldwin Cotton Mills, with executive offices at Rockhill, S. C. This consolidation includes three mills—the Baldwin Cotton Mills of Chester, the Glenn Lowry Manufacturing Company of Whitmire, S. C., and the Aragon Mills of Rockhill.

The new organization will begin operations Jan. 1. Each of the mills will wind up its affairs at the end of the year just prior to entering the merger.

Officers elected at the stockholders' meeting here today are President Treasurer, Alexander Long of Rockhill; Vice President, E. R. Lucas of Chester; Secretary, E. O. Hull of Rockhill; Assistant Treasurers, York Wilson of Rockhill, and L. E. Beard of Whitmire; Assistant Secretaries, J. G. Barnwell of Chester and E. O. Hunter of Whitmire; general superintendent, A. T. Quants of Whitmire; attorney, Colonel Arthur L. Gaston of Chester.

The Board of Directors elected today are Nathaniel Stevens, Boston; J. P. Stevens, New York; W. J. Gallon, New York; Alexander Long and J. G. Anderson, Rockhill; E. Sirrine, Greenville, and S. M. Jones, T. H. White and Robert Gage, Chester.

The combined spindleage of the three mills is 126,040, with a battery of 3,106 looms. They manufacture yarns, print cloths and sheetings.

## WAGES FELL IN NOVEMBER.

### Earnings in Manufacturing Industries 1.2 Per Cent. Below October.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Aggregate earnings of employes in manufacturing industries in the United States decreased 1.3 per cent. in November from the previous month, resulting in a decrease in per capita earnings of 1.2 per cent. Employment in the industries, according to statistics made public by the Labor Department today, remained practically unchanged, with a decrease of only one-tenth of one per cent.

The figures are based on returns from 4,537 establishments in fifty-two industries, covering 1,553,132 employes, whose total earnings in one week in November were $35,412,984.

## PROTEST ON OTTOMAN DEBT

### Iraq, Palestine and Transjordania File Objections With League.

GENEVA, Dec. 17 (Associated Press).—The British Government today notified the Secretariat of the League of Nations that Iraq, Palestine and Transjordania, for which it has mandates, object to the proportions of the Ottoman public debt assigned to them under Article 47 of the Lausanne Treaty by which peace was concluded between the Allies and Turkey.

The British communication said the objections would be presented to an arbiter named by the Council of the League.

# NO ACTION ON BRUSH AT SUGAR MEETING

### *Executive Committee of the American Refining Company in Session Here.*

The Executive Committee of the American Sugar Refining Company met here yesterday, but so far as is known no action was taken on the proposal by certain interests to make Matthew C. Brush, President and Chairman of the Executive Committee of the American International Corporation, the directing head of the refining company.

James L. Richards, the Boston financier, who admitted, according to advices from that city on Tuesday, that he had proposed Mr. Brush for the place, was at the Biltmore yesterday, but whether he attended the meeting of the Executive Committee of the refining company could not be learned. The members of the committee are Earl D. Babst, President of the company; Samuel McRoberts, President of the Metropolitan Trust Company; A. H. Wiggin, President and a director of the Chase National Bank, and Philip Stockton of Boston.

The annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the refining company is scheduled for the second Wednesday in January, and until that time it is understood that no announcement will be made of any changes or additions to the company's directing personnel.

Mentioned yesterday as a possible successor to Earl D. Babst for the presidency is James Howell Post, President of the National Sugar Refining Company, in which company the American has arranged to acquire a controling interest subject to approval of stockholders and the courts. Mr. Post said that he was President of National and since he was not a member of the board of the American could not undertake to discuss what the American directors might do. The matter of the merger with the American Company is to be laid before the stockholders on Jan. 12. At present there is a minority opposition among National's stockholders.

According to the report concerning Mr. Post, Mr. Babst would become chairman of the merged company and as such would continue to be directing head of the American. Mr. Brush has been quoted as having declined the reported offer of the Boston interests in the American to become chairman of the Executive Committee or to head the company.

Mr. Post mailed to the National's stockholders yesterday a report covering the financial condition of the company as of Nov. 1. He pointed out that earnings in 1923 and thus far in 1924 have not been sufficient to meet current dividend payments and that surplus had to be drawn upon. Dividends of 7 per cent. now being paid on the 150,000 shares of capital stock call for an annual expenditure of $1,050,000.

According to the statement, the company as of Nov. 1, 1924, reported landbuildings and equipment valued at $11,262,692, less depreciation; cash holdings, $2,675,277; accounts receivable, $4,568,870; investments, $195,897; inventories, $3,342,536, and deferred items, $68,283, making total assets of $22,113,553. Among the liabilities the company listed capital stock at $15,000,000, notes payable $2,000,000, accounts payable $2,784,731, reserve for insurance, contingencies, etc., $210,446 and profit and loss surplus $2,114,378.

# SEARS-ROEBUCK PLAN RETAIL STORE CHAIN

### *Shops to Be Opened in Chicago, Philadelphia, Dallas and Seattle.*

*Special to The New York Times.*

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Plans for the launching of a chain of retail stores by Sears, Roebuck & Co., the mail order house, were announced tonight by C. M. Kittle, President of the company.

The first store of the chain will be opened in Chicago about Feb. 2 and will be housed in what is known as the world's largest structure, the Merchandise Building, at Homan Avenue and Worthington Street. It will be operated as a department store and will include a separate department for men. An entire block across from the establishment will be reserved as parking space for automobile shopeprs.

Other stores will be opened later by the company in Philadelphia, Dallas and Seattle. It is estimated by Mr. Kittle that through operation of the stores the number of customers now served by catalogue sales will be increased from 9,000,000 to 12,000,000.

It is understood several mail order houses have for about five years considered the operation of chain stores in connection with their regular business, but heretofore they have confined themselves to their own method of merchandising.

Chain stores have been doing a huge business for some time, especially since the last national election, and this is believed to have brought the final decision of the Sears-Roebuck officials to venture into a business which, together with the mail order business, has made strides upward since the general improvement.

## CALLS HIM GOULD TRUSTEE.

### Counsel for George Jr. Says Frank Shared Responsibility.

That Frank J. Gould participated in the administration of his father's estate to such an extent that he became a trustee in fact and was consequently responsible for a share of its responsibilities was charged by J. Arthur Leve of counsel for George J. Gould Jr. at the resumed hearing of the $82,000,000 accounting suit before Referee James A. O'Gorman at 165 Broadway yesterday.

Mr. Leve made a demand upon Walter B. Walker of counsel for Frank for all checks, stubs, books, stamps and brokers' accounts in possession of the principal objector to the accounting. He also asked for all letters which passed between Frank and his sister Helen, now Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, from the time Frank became of age in 1898 down to 1914, and which were related to the estate.

Referee O'Gorman expressed some doubt in issuing a demand for the papers, as Frank was not an accounting trustee in the case, but informed Mr. Leve he had a right to serve notice on Mr. Walker and if he did not comply then he might produce secondary evidence.

Schuyler Nilson Rice, co-executor and cotrustee under the will of George Jay Gould, was under cross-examination all of the afternoon. He was subpoenaed by Mr. Walker. Objection to Mr. Rice testifying was raised by Robert E. Knowles of counsel for the Jay Gould estate. He said that the month of George could have been "sealed by death," and it was impossible for any one to imagine what Mr. Gould would testify to regarding the charges against him were he alive.

Referee O'Gorman overruled the objection and the witness was questioned regarding the financial affairs of George Gould up until his death on May 16, 1923. The hearing will be resumed at 10:30 this morning.

### Settles $100,000 Claim for $35,000.

An action by Richard Tobin for $100,000 alleged damages for personal injuries, against the Delaware and Hudson Steamship Company, which operates between the Atlantic Highlands and the Battery, was settled yesterday by the payment of $35,000 when the trial was about to begin in the Brooklyn Supreme Court. Justice Aspinall approved the settlement.

Christmas is but herrel days away and the HUNDRED NEEDIEST Cases will remain the neediest unless you help.

# MATCH CORPORATION CALLS IN ALL BONDS

### International Company to Retire $15,750,000 Sinking Fund Gold 6½s.

### STOCK ISSUE AUTHORIZED

### Of 900,000 Preference Shares, 450,000 Have Been Set Aside for Conversion of Bonds.

The International Match Corporation has called for redemption at 105 on Jan. 19 its $15,750,000 6½ per cent. convertible sinking fund gold debentures. Holders of the bonds have the option of exchanging their securities into participating preference stock of the company. A total of 900,000 preferred shares of $35 par value has been authorized, of which 450,000 shares have been set aside to take care of conversions. A group of bankers will make a public offering of the shares remaining after all conversions.

Handling the operation for the International Match Corporation, which controls companies owning forty-two match manufacturing plants in several European countries outside of Sweden, is a banking group composed of Lee, Higginson & Co., the National City Company, the Guaranty Company of New York, Brown Brothers & Co., Dillon, Read & Co. and Clark, Dodge & Co.

The bonds which have been called are selling in the market about nine points above the call price. Current quotations range from 113 to 115 against the redemption price of 105. As a result, it was believed by bankers that the majority of bondholders were desirous of converting the bonds into the participating preference stock; otherwise, they said, no premium above 105 would have been run up.

After retiring the bonds, the corporation will have no funded debt, and its participating preferred stock will become the senior security. There are 1,000,000 shares of no par value common stock. The corporation is controlled by the Swedish Match Company, which owns a majority interest in its common stock.

The new participating preference stock is non-callable and is, according to a statement, "preferred over common stock as to assets up to $40 a share and accrued dividends, thereafter participating equally with common in any distribution of assets after common has received $40 a share; preferred as to cumulative dividends at rate of $2.60 a share per annum, and participating at least equally with common stock in any dividends after common has received $2.60 a share in any year; non-voting."

## DOLLAR GAS SUITS TO GO ON

### Judge Winslow Denies a Motion to Postpone Further Hearings.

Federal Judge Winslow denied a motion yesterday to postpone all further hearings on the dollar gas law until the Supreme Court could pass on the question, raised by Judge Winslow, whether the law was unconstitutional because it violated a contract between the Public Service Commission and the Consolidated Gas Company and its subsidiaries. It was contended that the present rates, having been fixed by the commission, were accepted by the companies.

The motion was made by James A. Donnelly, Special Attorney General.

### $500,000 Mine Deal in Canada.

THE PAS, Manitoba, Dec. 17.—A half-million dollar deal for the purchase of an arsenical iron mine, known as the Little Nell Group, at Beaver Lake, Saskatchewan, has been closed between the A. J. and J. W. Collette of The Pas and several Des Moines, Iowa, financiers, it was announced today. The terms provide for the payment of $100,000 within two years to the Collette Brothers and for the installation of $400,000 worth of machinery and improvements in the mine.

# *COMMODITY PRICES.*

### *Generally Higher Values for Majority of Cash Staples—Wheat, Flour and Lead Strong.*

While there was a distinctly firm undertone to the cash grains yesterday, only wheat and flour registered any sizable improvement, both moving up to new high points for the year, while corn and oats were held around Tuesday's levels. Wheat jumped ¾ cent, to $1.90¼, and flour advanced 5 cents, to $8.35@$9.10. Coffee, butter and cotton were other articles to go higher. Metals were firm, with lead at a new high at 9.90 cents.

Following are the cash prices for the principal commodities in the wholesale market at the close of business Wednesday, a week before and a year ago. Prices are those of the New York cash markets unless otherwise indicated:

| | Dec. 17, 1924. | Dec. 10, 1924. | Dec. 19, 1923. |
|---|---|---|---|
| FOODSTUFFS— | | | |
| Wheat, No. 2 red | $1.90¼ | $1.84⅝ | $1.28⅝ |
| Corn, No. 2 yellow | 1.47 | 1.46¼ | .90¼ |
| Oats, No. 2 white | .69@69½ | .67 | .54⅛ |
| Flour, std. Spring pts. | 8.35@9.10 | 8.85 | 6.25 |
| Coffee, No. 7 Rio | .22⅝ | .21½ | .10⅞ |
| Sugar, granulated | .075 | .073 | .068 |
| Butter, creamery, 92 score | .45 | .44 | .54½ |
| Eggs, fresh-gathered firsts | .59@.62 | .59 | .44 |
| Lard, Mid. W. | 17.40@17.50 | 16.90 | 13.45 |
| Pork, mess | 34.00@35.00 | 35.00 | 26.50 |
| Beef, family | 21.00@22.00 | 22.00 | 23.00 |
| METALS— | | | |
| Iron, 2X, Phila. | 23.25@24.00 | 24.00 | 24.50 |
| Steel billets, Pitts. | 40.00 | 40.00 | 40.00 |
| Lead | 9.00 | 9.00 | 7.75 |
| Copper | 14.45 | 14.05 | 13.00 |
| Tin | 35.70 | 34.90 | 46.12½ |
| TEXTILES— | | | |
| Cotton, mid. upland | 24.25 | 23.25 | 35.70 |
| Print cloths | .06¾ | .06⅝ | .08 |

Range of prices, 1924 to date:

| | Highest. | | Lowest. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat | $1.93¾ | Dec. 17 | $1.19 | Mar. 27 |
| Corn | 1.48 | Jan. 16 | .89¼ | Jan. 3 |
| Oats | .70 | Dec. 16 | .54½ | Jan. 3 |
| Flour | 9.10 | Dec. 17 | 6.45 | Jan. 3 |
| Coffee | .23¾ | Nov. 11 | .10⅝ | Jan. 8 |
| Sugar | .09 | Feb. 1 | .064 | June 6 |
| Butter | .55 | Jan. 7 | .38¼ | Apr. 17 |
| Eggs | .62 | Dec. 15 | .23 | May 28 |
| Lard | 17.50 | Dec. 16 | 10.65 | May 28 |
| Pork | 35.00 | Dec. 9 | 24.00 | Feb. 28 |
| Beef | 23.00 | Jan. 2 | 18.00 | Feb. 28 |
| Iron | 24.50 | Jan. 2 | 21.25 | July 16 |
| Steel | 40.00 | Jan. 2 | 35.50 | Nov. 6 |
| Lead | 9.90 | Dec. 17 | 7.00 | May 23 |
| Tin | 58.75 | Mar. 2 | 39.75 | May 23 |
| Copper | 14.45 | Dec. 16 | 12.29 | July 9 |
| Cotton | 35.70 | Jan. 2 | 22.35 | Sept. 24 |
| Printcloths | .08 | Jan. 2 | .06¾ | Oct. 14 |

## PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Receipts (Dec. 16): 10,365 packages. Market firmer on leading grades. Creamery, higher than extras, 1b, 48¼@46c; extras, 92 score, 46c; firsts, 88@44c; seconds, 35½@37c; lower grades, 34½@35c; standards, cars, 90 score, 36½@39c; 85 score, 37¼@38c; 84 to 87 score, 35¼@37c; unsalted, higher than extras, 47@47½c; extras, 92 score, 46@46½c; firsts, 38½@45½c; seconds, 36½@37½c; held creamery, high scoring, 42@43c; extras, 41@41½c; firsts, 38½@40c; seconds, 34½@36c; renovated, fresh, 34c; Indiana, current make, extras, 32@33c; firsts, 30@31c; seconds, 29; lower grades, 27@28c; packing stock, current make, extras, 1, 27@28c; No. 2, 26½; lower grades, 22@23c.

EGGS—Receipts (Dec. 16): 12,813 cases. Extras, dozen, 60@63c; extra firsts, 59@60c; firsts, 56@58c; seconds, 52@55c; undergrades, 40@43c; mediums, 39@43c; dirties, No. 1, 41@43c; No. 2 and poorer, 38@40c; checks, fair to choice, dry, 30@37c; Jersey and other nearby hennery whites, closely selected, extras, 73@74c; nearby and Western, hennery whites, average extras, 70@72c; do. firsts to extra firsts, 69@69c; nearby gathered whites, firsts to extra firsts, 65@66c; nearby whites, under grades, 58@62c; nearby whites, mediums, 40 to 41 lbs. net, 61@64c; nearby whites, pullets, 55@59c; nearby whites, peewees, 52@54c; Pacific Coast, whites, firsts to extras, 62@70c; do, under grades, 47@61c; mediums, 59@63c; pullets, 56@58c; other Western and Southern, gathered whites, 58@63c; Jersey and other nearby, henneries browns, extras, 70@78c; refrigerator, firsts, 40@41c; seconds and poor, 36@39c; Pacific Coast, whites, 60@64c; Pacific Coast, mixed colors, 57@60c; Western, processed whites, 40@43c; Western, whites, 39@44c; nearby whites, firsts to extra firsts, 40@43c; mediums, 37c; dirties, 35½@36½c; checks from local candling, 31@32c.

# MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS

## PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.

| | Bid. | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Adirondack Power & Light | 35 | 38½ |
| Adirondack Power & Light pf | 99½ | 100 |
| Alabama Traction, Lt. & Power | 79 | 82 |
| American Gas & Electric | 79½ | 80½ |
| American Gas & Electric pf | 104 | 106 |
| American Light & Traction | 142 | 143½ |
| American Light & Traction pf | 93½ | 94½ |
| American Power & Light | 62½ | 63½ |
| American Power & Light pf | 90 | 90½ |
| American Public Utilities | 15 | 35 |
| American Public Utilities pf | 55 | 67 |
| Appalachian Power | 78½ | 79½ |
| Appalachian Power pf | 92 | 96 |
| Arizona Power | 17⅞ | 18⅜ |
| Arizona Power pf | 78 | 80 |
| Arkansas Light & Power | 60 | 64 |
| Arkansas Light & Power pf | 94 | 96 |
| Associated Gas & Electric pf | 49 | 51 |
| Brooklyn Borough Gas | 51 | 54 |
| Carolina Power & Light | 220 | 230 |
| Cen. Power & Light pf | 92 | 96 |
| Cen. States Elec. | 70 | 75 |
| Cen. States Elec. pf | 93 | 95 |
| Cities Service | 170½ | 172¼ |
| Cities Service pf | 80⅜ | 81½ |
| Cities Service pf. B | 74 | 75 |
| Cities Service, bankers' shares | 17⅞ | 17⅝ |
| Colorado Power | 33 | 35 |
| Colorado Power pf | 93 | 96 |
| Columbus Ry., Power & Light | 113 | 114 |
| Columbus Electric & Power | 135 | |
| Columbus Elec. & Power 2d pf | 100 | 103 |
| Commonwealth Power | 122 | 123 |
| Commonwealth Power pf | 82¾ | 83 |
| Commonwealth Power com. opt | 36 | 39 |
| Conn. Light & Power 7% pf | 104 | 107 |
| Conn. Light & Power 6% pf | 115 | 117 |
| Consolidated Gas pf | 58 | 59 |
| Consumers Power 6% stock | 90 | 93 |
| Continental Gas & Electric | 64 | 67 |
| Continental Gas & Elec. partic. | 66 | 68 |
| Continental Gas & Elec., prior | 90 | 93 |
| Continental Gas & El. warrants | 18 | 19 |
| Eastern Texas Electric | 70 | 73 |
| Eastern Texas Electric pf | 101 | 104 |
| Electric Bond & Share | 102¼ | 103¼ |
| Electric Investors, Inc., com | 33 | 35 |
| Electric Investors, Inc., rights | 15⅛ | 16⅛ |
| Electric Railways Securities | 16 | 17 |
| El Paso Electric | 70 | 72 |
| El Paso Electric pf | 100 | 95 |
| Empire Gas & Fuel pf | 90 | 95 |
| Federal Utilities | 17 | |
| Federal Utilities pf | 75 | |
| Georgia Ry. & Power | 65 | 66 |
| Georgia Ry. & Power 7% pf | 96 | 98 |
| Georgia Ry. & Power 6% pf | 106 | 108 |
| General Gas & Electric | 64 | 67 |
| General Gas & Elec. conv. pf. A | 71 | 73 |
| General Gas & Electric pf. A | 105 | 106 |
| General Gas & Electric pf. B | 86 | 90¼ |
| Galveston-Houston Electric | 41 | 43 |
| Galveston-Houston Electric pf | 74 | 77 |
| Illinois Power & Light pf | 91 | 93 |
| Jersey Central Power 7% pf | 89¼ | |
| Kentucky Securities Corp | 83 | 87 |
| Kentucky Securities Corp. pf | 75 | 78 |
| Keystone Tel. Phila., 4% pf | 52 | 54 |
| Lehigh Power Securities | 95 | 96 |
| Michigan Electric pf. A | 1½ | 3 |
| Mississippi River Power | 34 | 36 |
| Mississippi River Power pf | 88 | 90 |
| Mountain States Power | 22 | 27 |
| Mountain States Power pf | 23½ | 27½ |
| Nassau & Suffolk Lighting | 95 | 98 |
| National Power & Light | 185 | 187 |
| National Power & Light pf | 93 | 95 |
| North Carolina Pub. Ser. pf | 85 | 93 |
| Northern Ohio Electric | 10 | 12 |
| Northern Ohio Electric pf | 25 | 27 |
| Northern Ontario Lt. & Power | 44 | 45½ |
| Northern Ontario Lt. & Pow. pf | 78 | 79 |
| Northern States Power | 103 | 105 |
| Northern States Power pf | 96 | 99 |
| Northern Texas Electric | 70 | 72 |
| Northern Texas Electric pf | 72 | 75 |
| Oklahoma Gas & Electric pf | 89 | 89½ |
| Pacific Gas & Electric | 21 | 22 |
| Pacific Gas & Electric pf | 91 | 92 |
| Penn. Pow. & Lt. pf | 100 | 101 |
| Portland Ry., Light & Power | 37 | 39 |
| Portland Ry., Light & Power pf | 82 | 84 |
| Power Securities Corp | 16 | 18 |
| Power Securities Corp. 2d pf | 41 | 44 |
| Public Service Co. pf | 100 | |
| Puget Sound Power & Light | 50 | 52 |
| Puget Sound Power & Lt. 6% pf | 83 | 85 |
| Puget Sound Power & Lt. 7% pf | 105 | 107 |
| Republic Railway & Light | 49½ | 51 |
| Republic Railway & Light 6% | 69 | 71 |
| Sierra Pacific Electric | 17 | 18 |
| Southern Col. Edison | 101½ | 102 |
| Southern Col. Edison 7% pf | 104½ | 106 |
| Southern Cal. Edison 8% pf | 115 | 117 |
| Southern Power & Light | 40 | |
| Standard Gas & Electric 8% pf | 50 | 51 |
| Tampa Electric | 110 | |
| Tenn. Electric Power | 49½ | 50¼ |
| Tenn. Electric Power 1st 6% pf | 79 | 81 |
| Tenn. Electric Power 2d 6% pf | 72 | 73 |
| Texas Electric Service pf | 92 | 94 |
| Tide Water Power 8% pf | 99 | 104 |
| Toledo Edison pf | 95 | 100 |
| United Gas & Electric | 32 | 33 |
| United Gas & Electric pf | 93½ | 83 |
| Western Gas & Electric | 19 | |
| Western Gas & Electric pf | 85 | 88 |
| Western Power | 36 | 37½ |
| Western Power 7% | 85½ | 87 |

## GUARANTEED STOCKS.

| Company. | Rate. | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Alb. & Susquehanna R. R. | 11 | 190 | 203 |
| Atlantic Coast Air Line | 7 | 170 | 173 |
| Can. Southern R. R. | 5 | 56 | 57½ |
| Cleve. & Pitts. R. R. | 7 | 70 | 71 |
| Erie & Kalamazoo | 8 | 75 | 80 |
| Ft. Wayne & Jack. pf | 5½ | 103 | 106 |
| Georgia R. R. & Bank | 10 | 198 | 202 |
| Gold & Stock Telegraph | 6 | 111 | 113 |
| Lackawanna R. R. of N. J. | 4 | 78 | 80 |
| Minn., St. P. & S. S. M. | 4 | 60 | 62 |
| Morris & Essex R. R. | 7¾ | 77½ | 78½ |
| Mobile & Birmingham pf | 4 | 68 | 70 |
| N. Y., L. & W. R. R. | 5 | 100 | 102 |
| Northern R. R. of N. J. | 4 | 63 | 66 |
| Oswego & Syracuse | 9 | 87 | 89 |
| Pitts., Bessemer & L. E. | 3 | 29 | 30 |
| Do pf | 6 | 59 | 60½ |
| P., Ft. W. & Chicago pf | 7 | 138½ | 140½ |
| Rensselaer & Saratoga R. R. | 7 | 113½ | 120 |
| United N. J., R. & C. | 10 | 200 | 201 |
| Utica, Chenf. & Susq. | 8 | 116 | 117½ |
| Valley R. R. | 5 | 93 | 100 |
| Warren R. R. | 7 | 66½ | 69 |

*Dividend subject to Federal income tax.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

| | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|
| Americus | 345 | 355 |
| Am. Exch. | 130 | |
| Am. Union | 130 | |
| Bank of U. S. | 210 | |
| Bowery | 500 | 600 |
| Bryant Park | 165 | |
| Bway Cent. | 155 | |
| Bronx Boro. | 300 | 600 |
| Bronx Co. | 240 | |
| Butch. & D. | 140 | |
| Capital Nat. | 143 | |
| Chat. Merc. | 200 | 210 |
| Chase | 408 | 418 |
| Chat. & P. | 298 | 303 |
| Chelsea Exch. | 170 | |
| Chemical | 560 | 600 |
| City | 456 | 463 |
| Coal & Iron | 223 | |
| Colonial | 450 | |
| Commerce | 362 | 367 |
| Com'wealth | 280 | |
| Continental | 230 | |
| Corn Exch. | 452 | 457 |
| Cosmopolitan | 115 | 125 |
| East River | 215 | |
| Fifth Nat. | 230 | 238 |

## TRUST AND SURETY COMPANIES

| | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|
| Alliance | 115 | |
| Am. Surety | 116 | 119 |
| Bk N Y & T | 570 | 580 |
| Bankers | 416 | 421 |
| Bond & Mtg. | 610 | 670 |
| Brooklyn | 690 | |
| Cent. Union | 695 | 705 |
| Empire | 309 | 310 |
| Equitable | 240 | 245 |
| Farm L. & T. | 735 | |
| Fid. Intl. | 235 | 248 |
| Fulton | 400 | |
| Guaranty | 305 | 310 |
| Irving-Col. | 240 | 245 |
| Kings Co. | 1200 | |
| Lawyers Mtg. | 195 | 202 |
| Lawyers Tit. | 255 | 262 |
| M'facturers | 310 | |
| Metropolitan | 350 | |
| Midwood | 170 | |
| Mtg. Bond | 117 | |
| Mut. T. of W. | 140 | |
| Nat. Surety | 1690 | 1700 |
| New York | 405 | 410 |
| N Y Tit & Mtg. | 274 | 279 |
| People's | 615 | 625 |
| Realty Assoc. | 153 | 156 |
| Do 1st pf | 86 | 90 |
| Do 2d pf | 75 | 80 |
| Title Guar. | 480 | 485 |
| U S Title G. | 215 | 223 |
| U S Mtg. | 350 | |
| West T. & T. | 245 | |
| Westchester | 350 | |

## INSURANCE COMPANIES.

| | Bid. | Ask. | | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Astna. Fire | 585 | 590 | Home | 375 | 380 |
| Astna. Life | 870 | 880 | Ins Co N A | 96 | 99 |
| Am. Alliance | 280 | 290 | Mil. Mech. | 34 | 37 |
| Carolina | 37 | 40 | Nat. Fire | 640 | 650 |
| City N Y | 240 | | Nat. Liberty | 205 | |
| Continental | 101 | 105 | Niagara | 185 | |
| Fid-Phenix | 146 | 149 | North River | 90 | 100 |
| Fid-Cas | 95 | | Northern | 220 | 230 |
| Franklin | 145 | 150 | Pac Fire | 135 | |
| Glens Falls | 88 | 42 | Stuyvesant | 160 | |
| Globe & R. | 1120 | | Travelers | 980 | 990 |
| Great Amer. | 275 | 279 | United States | 110 | |
| Hanover | 160 | 180 | Westchester | 42 | 46 |

## INVESTMENT TRUSTS.

### STOCKS.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Am. Trust Sh. Corp | | 108 |
| Ford Motor of Canada bkrs | 57½ | 57¾ |
| Int. Sec. Trust Amer. pf. 7% | 102¾ | 103 |
| Do common | 98 | |
| Do 6% cumulative pf | 93 | 95¾ |
| United American Chain Stores | 18 | 18½ |
| United American Railways | 154 | 164 |
| United American Electric | 194 | 194 |
| United Bankers' Oil | 13½ | 13⅝ |

### BONDS.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Int. Sec. Tr. of Am. 6s, A. 1925 | 100 | 101¼ |
| Do B. 1933 | 99 | 100 |
| Do C. 1943 | 99 | 100 |

## NEW YORK CITY BONDS.

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Asked. | Yield. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 4½s, December, 1971 | 105⅝ | 105¾ | 4.17 |
| 4½s, July, 1967 | 105⅝ | 105¾ | 4.17 |
| 4½s, June, 1963 | 105⅝ | 105¾ | 4.17 |
| 4½s, May, 1959 | 105⅝ | 105¾ | 4.17 |
| 4½s, November, 1957 | 105⅛ | 105 | 4.16 |
| 4½s, June, 1974 | 101¼ | 101¼ | 4.16 |
| 4½s, April, 1973 | 101¼ | 101¼ | 4.16 |
| 4½s, March, 1963 | 101 | 101¼ | 4.16 |
| 4½s, September, 1960 | 101 | 101¼ | 4.16 |
| 4½s, March, 1960-30 | 100¾ | 101 | 4.03 |
| 4s, May, 1965 | 98 | 98¼ | 4.08 |
| 4s, May, 1958 | 98 | 98¼ | 4.08 |
| 4s, November, 1955 | 98¼ | 98½ | 4.07 |
| 4s, November, 1955 | 98¾ | 99¼ | 4.05 |
| 4s, November, 1955 | 98¾ | 99¼ | 4.05 |
| 4s, December, 1964 | 98¾ | 99¼ | 4.05 |
| 4½s, May, 1954 | 98¾ | 99¼ | 4.10 |

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

| | Bid. | Asked. | Yield. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1960-1962 | 4.28 | 4.05 | 4.05 |
| 4½s, 1957-1959 | 4.28 | 4.05 | 4.05 |
| 4½s, 1925-30 | | | 4.05 |

## FOREIGN INTERNAL SECURITIES

Payable, principal and interest, in the currency of issuing countries.

| Security. | Rate. | Issue. | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Arg. (rescission) | 5 | 1909 | 77½ | 78 |
| Arg. (unlisted) | 5 | Sep., 1924 | 81¼ | 82¼ |
| Belg. Restoration | 5 | 1919 | 34½ | 36½ |
| Belgian Premo | 6 | 1920 | 35 | 40 |
| Bolivia | 8 | 1940 | 42 | 45 |
| Brazil (reactsiasn) | 5 | 1900 | 76 | 77¼ |
| Brazil | 5 | 1913 | 49 | 49¾ |
| Brazil | 4½ | 1883 | 41 | 43 |
| Brazil | 4 | 1889 | 39 | 39¾ |
| Brazil | 4 | 1910 | 39 | 39¾ |
| Brazil | 5 | 1895 | 49½ | 50¼ |
| Brit. Exchequer | 5½ | 1922 | 94½ | 95 |
| British Fund | 4 | Mar., 1919 | 85½ | 85½ |
| Brit. Nat. W. B. | 5 | *1920-47 | 94½ | 95¼ |
| Brit. Nat. W. B. | 5 | Oct., *1927 | 100¼ | 102 |
| Brit. Nat. W. B. | 5 | *1929 | 100¼ | 103¼ |
| Brit. Consol | 2½ | | 55¾ | 58½ |
| British Victory | 5 | Sep., 1919 | 86¼ | 86½ |
| Buenos Aires 10-yr. gold bond 6s | | 1916 | 98¾ | 99½ |
| Buenos Aires 5s, 1915, £10 pieces | | | 67½ | 59 |
| Buenos Aires 5s, £15, £20-£100 pcs | | | 61 | 63 |
| Canada | 5 | 1937 | 102⅞ | 103⅝ |
| Canada | 5½ | Nov., 1963 | 105 | 105½ |
| Cent. Pac. R. R. (Extr. issue) | 4 | *1946 | 71 | 73½ |
| Chi., M. & St. P. | 4 | 1925 | 67¾ | 68¾ |
| Chinese Reorg. | 5 | 1913 | 59 | 64 |
| Chin-Franco Rus. | 4 | 1895 | 79 | 84 |
| Chile | 6 | 1911 | 79 | 81 |
| City of Pelotas | 5 | 1911 | 51 | 53 |
| Colombia | 6 | 1913 | 74 | 76 |
| Costa Rica | 7 | 1911 | 60¼ | 61¼ |
| French Govt. | 4 | 1917 | 20 | 20½ |
| French Govt. Vic. | 5 | Jan., 1931 | 31½ | 33½ |
| French Loan | 5 | 1920 | 36½ | 38½ |
| French Loan | 6 | 1920 | 38 | 39 |
| Greek Govt. | 5 | 1914 | 11¼ | 11⅜ |
| Italian War Loan | 5 | | 43 | 44 |
| Japanese | 6 | 1947 | 72 | 74 |
| Paris-Orleans | 6 | 1956 | 35¾ | 38¾ |
| Mexican | 5 | *1942 | 32 | 34 |
| Mid. R. R. | 6 | *1900 | 38½ | 39½ |
| Polish Govt. | 6 | 1920 | 72⅛ | 73½ |
| Prague | 8 | | 17 | 20 |

# FIGHT FOR CONTROL OF OIL CORPORATION

### Protective Committee Head Asks Middle States Stockholders to Deposit Shares.

### OPPOSES HASKELL BOARD

### Does Not Want Old Directors Reinstated at End of Receivership.

William Shivers, Chairman of the Protective Committee representing the stockholders of the Middle States Oil Corporation, now in receivership, has sent a letter to all stockholders requesting them to deposit their stocks with the committee, in order that the latter may vote a majority of the stock at the annual stockholders' meeting to be held March 17, 1925. At the same time Mr. Shivers is calling for 3,000 volunteers, each of whom will be requested to get five additional stockholders to deposit their stock with the committee. In all there are 30,000 stockholders scattered from Maine to the Pacific Coast. Mr. Shivers points out in his letter that unless the Haskell group of directors now serving on the board are replaced by nominees of the Stockholders' Committee "the control of the company will again pass into their hands at the termination of the receivership."

Mr. Shivers states that the main objectives of the committee are:

"The elimination of the liability created by the $5,500,000 Middle States notes.

"The elimination of the liability created by the guaranteeing of the principal and interest of the $3,000,000 Gulf Coast Refining Company bonds by the Middle States Oil Corporation.

"The recapture of assets.

"An accounting by the directors and officers for any gross negligence and mismanagement.

"A comprehensive plan of reorganization under which the stockholders would receive adequate and liberal consideration."

"The elimination of the note issue would mean an increase in the asset value of the stock of over $1.80 a share," says Mr. Shivers, "and the cancellation of the guarantee of the Gulf Coast Refining Company bond issue a similar increase of over $1 a share."

The committee's headquarters is at the office of the Empire Trust Company, the depositary for the stock, 120 Broadway, New York City. The committee consists of the following: William Shivers, Robert S. Johnstone, formerly Judge of the Court of General Sessions, New York City; Robert Carey, formerly Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of New Jersey; Horace A. Davis, Vice President Empire Trust Company; W. S. Fanning, Treasurer, A. T. Skerry & Co., New York City; H. F. Hequembourg, Director, Dunkirk Trust Company, Dunkirk, N. Y. H. F. Whitney is Secretary of the committee.

### Lease With Option to Buy.

The Sigley Realty Company, Inc., of 252 West Forty-second Street, just closed a long-term lease, with option to purchase, on 53 and 55 West Forty-seventh Street, in the new jewelry centre. The lessees will alter the buildings immediately for stores and apartments. The total outlay will be more than $400,000.

## CURB TO PLAY SANTA CLAUS.

### 1,000 Children Expected at Its Annual Christmas Entertainment.

The annual Christmas entertainment of the New York Curb Market for the poor children in the lower part of Manhattan will be held Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 24. This is the fourth entertainment since the curb moved to its present location and preparations have been made to provide for 1,000 children, a record number.

Each child will receive a bag containing toys and candy. In addition there will be the usual "big show" including animal acts, clowns, acrobats, singers and dancers. A special feature will be the Jersey City Police male quartet. Through the courtesy of William A. Hauser, M. Hohner, Inc., has donated 1,000 harmonicas to be distributed to the children and has arranged to have present the Harmonica Band of Junior High School 61 of the Bronx, under the direction of Professor Aaron Keil.

## OPERATORS BUY CORNER.

### Purchase West Side Apartment House Held at $1,500,000.

Samuel Markel and Joseph Berger, operators, purchased 884 West End Avenue, situated at the northeast corner of 103d Street and West End Avenue, fronting 101 feet on West End Avenue and running back on 103d Street about 100 feet, lot being about 101 feet 5 inches by 100 on each side.

The building is fifteen stories, with all modern improvements, consisting of three six-room apartments and one seven-room apartment on each floor.

The purchase price is $1,500,000, and the building rents for a little over $200,000 per year. Joseph E. Greenberg represented the purchaser.

## TENEMENT BLOCK LEASED.

### Max Natanson Takes Ten Four-Story Buildings.

The ten four-story flats with stores at 700-718 Columbus Avenue, comprising the westerly block front between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth Streets, have been leased by Max Natanson from Townsend Pinkney for twenty years at an annual net rental of from $10,500 to $20,500. The property has been in the possession of the leasing interests for a great many years. The houses occupy a frontage of 201 feet on the avenue and 100 feet on each side street.

### $3,000,000 for Midtown Loft.

Plans have been filed with the Manhattan Bureau of Buildings for the construction of an eighteen-story fireproof office, loft and store building on the east side of Park Avenue, whole front between Thirty-second and Thirty-third Streets. It will have a frontage of 197 feet on the Avenue by 250 feet on each street, and there will be a private street in the rear. The One Park Avenue Corporation, S. D. Leffsdorf, President, is the owner. York & Sawyer are the architects, and have estimated the cost at $3,000,000.

### Fogarty Estate Sells.

Neason Jones and Dwight, Archibald & Perry, as brokers, have sold for the estate of the late Parole Commissioner Michael F. Fogarty (Charles V. Halley Jr., executor) the premises at 527 to 531 West Thirty-third Street, a plot 75 by 100 feet, improved with one-story buildings, formerly used by Mr. Fogarty for the manufacture of boilers. The property was held at $85,000 and after extensive improvements will be occupied by the purchaser.

## BEEF COMPANY SELLS.

### Four-Story Building on the East Side Was Held at $225,000.

The United Dressed Beef Company sold to the Moneta Realty Corporation a four-story brick building at 330-335 East Forty-fourth Street, being on a plot 125 by 100 feet. Arthur Friedenheit was the broker.

This is the first sale of the property since its construction. It was held at $225,000.

The same broker also resold this property to George Davis and sold for Martin Then with Edward C. H. Vogeler 585 Amsterdam Avenue, a plot 28 by 85, held at $75,000.

## COFFEE MERCHANTS BUY.

### Arnold & Aborn Acquire Two Buildings in Pearl Street.

W. E. Dean & Co., have sold the two five-story and basement buildings, on a plot 41.5 by 99 feet deep, at 243 and 245 Pearl Street for Samuel Lakow to Arnold & Aborn, coffee merchants, who have been located at 37-39 Old Slip for over forty years.

After extensive alterations are made, the buyers will have one of the most up-to-date coffee roasting plants in Greater New York.

### Commercial Leases.

Tankoos, Smith & Co. have subleased for the Munson Cafeteria, Inc. (Greenman & Zelin), to Mandel Silberstein and Hyman Rosen, operating the Silver-Rose Shops, the ground floor store and basement of 108 East Fourteenth Street, adjoining August Lichow's Restaurant, and the tenants, upon completion of alterations and improvements, will occupy the premises for a branch establishment.

Thoens & Flaunlacher, Inc., leased for the 34 West Thirty-second Street Company the eleventh floor in the building at 34 and 36 West Thirty-second Street to Philip Goldfrank, jobber of ladies' waists and dresses, for a term of years.

### The Bronx Market.

Vernon S. Phelps sold for Mary Moore the four-story double flat with stores at 352 Brook Avenue, on a lot 25 by 100, to a client for investment.

The Church of Our Lady of Grace has purchased the block front on the east side of Bronxwood Avenue, between 225th and 226th Streets; also the plot of four lots adjoining on 226th Street. William C. and A. Edward Lester were the brokers.

### Paulists to Extend School.

James E. Barry and Slawson & Hobbs sold for the 9 and 11 Seaman Avenue Corporation a plot of six lots on the south side of Seaman Avenue, 100 feet south of Isham Street, to the Missionary Society of St. Paul the Apostle, which has just completed a school at a cost of $350,000. It is their intention in buying this plot to extend the school.

### Trading in Brooklyn.

In Brooklyn, through the Multiple Listing Bureau, Elwin S. Piper Company sold the two-family dwelling at 2,115 Quentin Road; James B. Fisher Company sold the one-family dwelling at 309 East Eighteenth Street, and Elwin S. Piper Company sold the two and one-half story residence at 1,558 East Seventeenth Street.

### Private Dwelling Sold.

Seranno Magliola sold to a client of Goodwin & Goodwin, Inc., the three-story and basement private house at 135 West 121st Street, on a lot 20 by 100 feet.

# LATEST DEALINGS IN REALTY FIELD

### Brentano's Lease 30,000 Square Feet of Space in the Fifth Avenue Shopping Zone.

### WILL MOVE NEXT MARCH

### Holy Innocents Church Sells Property as Site for an Office Building.

Following close upon a series of sales, leases and profit-taking on and adjacent to Fifth Avenue in the midtown section another important transaction was closed yesterday whereby Brentano's secured thorugh William A. White & Sons, brokers, after negotiating for several months, a large space in the new building on the north side of Forty-seventh Street, adjoining the Fifth Avenue corner.

Eventually, with the completion of building operations at 582 to 586 Fifth Avenue, the new establishment will be extended through 586, and Brentano's will remain an actual Fifth Avenue concern.

The lease, which is for twenty-one years at an annual rental of $100,000 a year, or an aggregate of $2,100,000 for the term, involves about 30,000 square feet, an increase of about one-fourth over the space now occupied by Brentano's in the Fifth Avenue and Twenty-sixth Street corner of the Brunswick Building.

The space has been leased from the 582-586 Fifth Avenue Corporation, Max J. Kramer, President, Edward Margolies and Joseph S. Friedman, associates, who are just completing a monumental commercial building at 1 to 11 West Forty-seventh Street, on the site of a group of old dwellings that long resisted the advance of trade.

In view of the large space to be occupied by the booksellers, it is to be named the Brentano Building. It is planned to move the bookshop to the Forty-seventh Street address in the early part of next March.

Within a short time a corps of workmen will take over the Forty-seventh Street space to transform it by means of fittings and fixtures.

The space just secured for Brentano's will be the sixth location of the bookshop in seventy-one years.

### Office Building for Church Property.

As a site for a twenty-story office building, the plot 60 by 77 feet at 135, 137 and 139 West Thirty-sixth Street was sold by the Roman Catholic Church of the Holy Innocents. The buyer is the Mor-Ro Realty Corporation, Morris Rosenstein, President, a client of Nathan H. Stone.

The church is on Thirty-seventh Street and the plot is directly in the rear and adjoins the new Lefcourt-Marlborough Building. Supreme Court Justice Wagner signed an order authorizing the church to sell. Emery Roth, architect, will draw the plans for the erection of a twenty-story office building upon the plot. The property was held at $375,000 and with the building will cost about $1,000,000. William S. Sussman, Inc., was the broker.

Plans have been filed for the twenty-story offices to be erected at the southwest corner of Park Avenue and Fortieth Street by the Fortieth Street and Park Avenue Company, representing Harry Mandell and associates. The structure will occupy a plot 110 by 130 and will cost $1,000,000, according to the estimate of Victor C. Farrar, architect.

Plans have been filed by the Debro Realty Corporation (Nicholas C. Fartos), through Rouse & Goldstone, architects, for the erection of a ten-story apartment to contain small suites at 10 to 20 East Ninety-seventh Street on a plot 167 by 100 feet. The building will cost $1,200,000 and will have garden features.

### Apartment House Trading.

In the Columbus Circle section former Supreme Court Justice Nathan Ottinger sold 29-31-33 Columbus Avenue, three four-story buildings, on plot 60 by 70, containing stores, lofts and dwellings. This is the first sale of this property since 1906. The buildings are located forty feet south of the corner of Sixty-first Street and are assessed for purposes of taxation at $105,000. The annual rental is $15,000. Ryan & Co., Inc., were the brokers.

Amer Realty Company, Inc., J. E. Mautner, President, sold 2,099 Eighth Avenue, a five-story apartment house on lot 37.6 by 100, consisting of apartments and stores on the ground floor, to a client of Ryan & Co., who acted as brokers.

Van Vliet & Place have sold the five-story flat building 20 and 22 Bethune Street, on a plot 40 by 60. This has been in continuous ownership of the present sellers and in charge of the agents for over fifty years.

Kathrine A. Galyean sold to Rose Lituchy 1,964 Seventh Avenue, a five-story flat with two stores. The property was held at $54,000. The broker was Joseph Weisserman.

Mary A. Dempsey sold 502 West 213th Street, a twenty-five-family, new-law apartment house, near Broadway, to a private investor. The consideration was $88,000. The brokers were Kenneally & Barry. They are considering a profitable resale.

Blade Estates, Inc., has sold to John Z. Rogdakis 495 Third Avenue, a five-story triple tenement, between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth Streets. The Blade Estates, Inc., purchased this property last year from the Astor Carey estate a private sale before the auction. Mr. Rogdakis is the owner of the adjoining property at 493 Third Avenue. Pease & Elliman and E. P. Manass were the brokers in the transaction.

### Harlem Buildings Sold.

Operators acquired an apartment in Harlem yesterday when the nine-story house at 120 West 123d Street was purchased by Harry Ruthelser and A. H. Levy. The structure is valued at $175,000 and returns an annual rental of about $43,000. The building was erected by McMorrow Brothers and occupies a site 60 by 100 between Lenox and Seventh Avenues.

The Mark Twain, a six-story apartment at 240-242 West Nineteenth Street, has been sold by the Fanlou Realty Company to Max Kopstein. The house occupies a plot with a frontage of 50 feet and a depth of 92 feet, located between Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

### Bank Buys Site.

As a site for a new building which will ultimately be erected for its Manhattanville office, the Mechanics and Metals National Bank has purchased from Zebrowits Brothers and the Morningside Tailoring Company 422 and 424 West 125th Street, two four-story buildings, between Morningside Avenue and La Salle Street. The plot, which is in size approximately 43 by 100 feet, faces Roosevelt Square.

The Manhattanville office has been located for many years past on the block further west at the corner of Amsterdam Avenue, and upon completion of its new building will be in a position to offer increased banking facilities to this rapidly developing section. The bank was represented by Edgar A. Manning as broker in the transaction.

### Auction Results.

By Jeremiah J. Reid.

Lots Nos 1433-1434 on map of Eastchester Road, &c.; Railroad Cooperative Building and Loan Association against Carmelina Zeddo et al.; Crandall, Grout & Williams, attorneys; foreclosure sale; to the Larkin Lumber Company for $10,870.

By James J. Donovan.

Tremont Av, 461, n s, 92.7 ft w of Washington Av, 18.1x47.10, 3-story building; Virginia D. Mulligan against Charles P. Parsons et al; due, $11,203.43; subject to a first mortgage of $17,000; adjourned sine die.

Christmas is but seven days away and the HUNDRED NEEDIEST CASES will remain the neediest unless you help.

## LONG ISLAND CITY PROJECT.

### $2,000,000 Improvement Planned for Four City Blocks.

Negotiations have been closed whereby a syndicate formed by Samuel B. Pollak have acquired from George Ehret the blocks bounded by Broadway, Steinway Avenue, Graham Avenue and Albert Avenue in the Astoria section of Long Island City. The property, which comprises about four city blocks, was acquired by Mr. Ehret in 1887 for what was then considered the high price of $25,000. The present purchase price was over $800,000. The site was for many years known as Astoria Schutzen Park, well remembered as a picnic ground, but is now in the heart of a busy retail business and residential neighborhood. Schmidt & Donahue, as brokers, and R. C. Scheider, as attorney, represented Mr. Ehret, and A. F. Graff was broker for the purchasers.

According to present plans a department store and one of the chain stores will occupy the Broadway front, with a theatre and store building on Steinway Avenue. The land and improvements will represent an outlay of about $2,000,000. Associated with Mr. Pollak are Arnold Gottlieb and Nathan Picket, Charles Kalb, George Konop and Rudolph Levin.

### Realty Notes.

Cyrus C. Miller, former President of the Borough of the Bronx, will be the principal speaker at the meeting of the Real Estate Board of the Bronx, which will be held tomorrow at 8:15 P. M. at 4,778 Third Avenue (Fordham Road). His topic will be "What the Real Estate Board of the Bronx Can Do for the Borough."

An informal dinner will be held prior to the meeting at 373 East Fordham Road, at the Sarazin restaurant.

Nathan Wilson and Arthur Greenbaum were the former owners on 1,227, 1,229 and 1,231 Madison Avenue; also 48 East Eighty-ninth Street, southeast corner, recently reported. H. H. Hazelton and J. L. and R. W. Davis were the brokers in the transaction.

Samuel Kaufman is the buyer of 158 West Eighty-fifth Street; Isaac Goldblatt of 21 East 108th Street; the Seegold Realty Corporation, Abraham Cohen, attorney, of 2,115 Eighth Avenue, and Charles E. Garby of 137 West 121st Street, all recently reported sold.

### $244,000 Loan Placed.

Charles H. Van Valen, Inc., have obtained for Cathedral Aycrourt, Inc., a mortgage of $244,000 on the new six-story apartment 540 West 123d Street. The apartment occupies a plot 150 by 95 feet.

Samuel Kronsky, Inc., has secured a first mortgage of $205,000 at 5½ per cent. interest per annum for the Mindor Realty Company on the six-story elevator apartment, size 100 by 100, located on the northeast corner of Broadway and 161st Street.

### Car Barn Block Plans.

Plans were filed yesterday with the Manhattan Bureau of Buildings as follows: Park Avenue, east side, whole front between Thirty-second and Thirty-third Streets, for an eighteen-story office and loft building 197 by 205 feet; One Park Avenue Corporation, owner; York & Sawyer, architects; cost $3,000,000.

## BUYING IN THE SUBURBS.

### Westchester and New Jersey Homes Bought for Occupancy.

Joseph D. Tooker sold a plot having a frontage of 80 feet on Mamaroneck Avenue by 197 feet on the New York Post Road, White Plains, N. Y., to Sarah A. Mitchell of New York City. The property was held at $55,000. E. L. Howe Jr. negotiated the sale.

Thomas J. Good sold for Mathilda L. Busto property on Colles Avenue, Pelham Heights, N. Y., to a builder, who is planning to erect a dwelling of solid brick construction for resale. The property was held at $100 a front foot.

David S. Meyer, Inc., sold at Deal, N. J., 238 Ocean Avenue, for Mrs. Ida M. Cory. It is a three-story dwelling and garage and was sold to Joseph Fisch, who, after improving same, will occupy the premises as his Summer home.

The same brokers sold for Linda A. Painter her house on Takanssee Lake, West End, N. J., to Mrs. Sacarin of Newark. After extensive alterations it will be occupied by Mrs. Sacarin as her Summer home. The property was held at $35,000.

Hardgrove & Dempsey, Inc., report the sale, at Golfview Gardens, St. Albans, Queens, of Lots 11 and 12 in Block BB, on 119th Drive, to Nat Farler, and of Lots 39 and 40 in Block U, on Baisley Boulevard (Locust Avenue), to John Erdman, a builder, who intends to build his own home on the property.

### Tuckahoe Estate Leased.

The Tuckahoe Holding Corporation, a subsidiary of the Schulte cigar store interests, has leased the Dusenberry estate property, on Depot Square at Tuckahoe, N. Y., for twenty-one years, with option to purchase. The property affected contains about forty parcels, with several buildings, which will be altered and additional structures erected. In connection with this deal, Elm Street will be extended from Yonkers Avenue to the Bronx River Bridge and a strip of land will be added to the Bronx River Parkway. The transaction, involving about $300,000, was negotiated by Hamilton, Iselin & Co. as brokers.

### Add to Long Island City Holdings.

Brecher Building Corporation added to its holdings for immediate improvement the following plots, located in the Queens Boulevard section of Long Island City: Plot 100 by 225 feet on the northeast corner of Queens Boulevard and Van Pelt Street; plot 200 by 200 feet, covering the entire block front of the northerly side of Foster Avenue between Buckley and Honeywell Streets, and a plot on the southeast corner of Fifth and Washington Avenues, 42.6 by 100 feet.

### Greenwich Ave. Alteration.

William Kennelly, Inc., announces the passing of title yesterday of 32 Greenwich Avenue, southwest corner of Charles Street, from John Asfas et al. to the Doralon Realties, Inc., which was represented by Solon D. Cohen. The building is a five-story tenement with stores and was held at $55,000. The new owners plan to alter and improve immediately.


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| 115-17 East 23rd Street | 56.6x100 | Floor |
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| 125 East 23rd Street | | Divided space |
| 16 West 23rd Street | 16x98.9 | Floors |
| 148-56 West 23rd Street | 102.6x98.9 | Floors and divided space |
| 134-40 West 29th Street | 100x98.9 | Floors and divided space |
| 151-55 West 30th Street | 75x98.9 | Floors |
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South Third Street Metal Co., Brooklyn, $10,000; M. Schorr, H. Bloom. (Attorney, Z. Wartman, 247 McKibbin St., Brooklyn.)

Matbro Realty Corp., Manhattan, $50,000; G. A. Mattern, J. A. King. (Attorney, G. J. Kolt, 2,504 3d Av.)

Russe-Ital Artcraft, Brooklyn, interior decorators, $20,000; K. Greenberg, S. and I. Resnick. (Attorney, J. Goldberg, 51 Chambers St.)

Hammondsport Mfg. Corp., Hammondsport, 500 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 500 common, no par value; E. J. Vangordon, L. D. Layton, N. H. Wood. (Attorney, S. Decker Jr., Montour Falls.)

Richmond Hill Cloak & Dress Shop, Queens Co., $5,000; M. and A. and M. Goldberg. (Attorneys Jacobson & Jacobs, 299 Broadway.)

Rowley Coal & Lumber Co., Middletown, $100,000; J. Brand, O. B. and W. R. Rowley. (Attorneys, Taylor & Royce, Middletown.)

A. J. Jihishian & Co., Manhattan, textiles, $150,000; A. J. and M. Jihishian. (Attorney, G. S. Kehabian, 27 William St.)

Harry A. Brecher, Manhattan, food products, $10,000; H. A. Brecher, F. J. Tanenbaum. (Attorney, M. Oelbaum, 1,170 Broadway.)

Louis Cohen & Son, Manhattan, mattresses, $150,000; L. A. and J. and R. Cohen. (Attorney, P. S. Seligson, 160 Broadway.)

Virgin Island Development Corp., Rochester, merchandising, $25,000; F. W. Hahn, N. H. Williamson, J. J. Conolly. (Attorneys, Cook & Whitbeck, Rochester.)

Sciliphi Realties, Brooklyn, $5,000; I. and A. Sciliphi. (Attorney, J. G. Sciliphi, 44 Court St., Brooklyn.)

Ben O. Rial, Buffalo, auditing and accounting, 200 shares common stock, no par value; P. C. and J. J. Rial. (Attorney, R. E. Babcock, Buffalo.)

Neatmaid Garment Co., Manhattan, dresses, $10,000; I. Goldsmith, S. W. Finkelstein, L. R. Mark. (Attorney, W. B. Siegel, 38 Park Row.)

East 26th St. Building Corp., Brooklyn, $10,000; J. Sciliphi, A. and I. Goldberg. (Attorney, J. G. Sciliphi, 44 Court St., Brooklyn.)

Irving Kasanoff, Manhattan, scrap metals, $20,000; T. Albert, M. M. Schwartz, A. Deutsch. (Attorneys, Rosett & Deutsch, 130 West 42d St.)

Horlath Holding Corp., Manhattan, contracting, $20,000; L. Freedman, L. L. Teleman, J. B. Arkin. (Attorneys, Jasie & Solomon, 30 Vesey St.)

91 State Street, Albany, real estate, $10,000; F. S. Mangini, J. E. McLaughlin, R. J. Speiter. (Attorney, H. Hendrickson, Albany.)

Tenderstein Automobile Corp., Manhattan, $20,000; C. E. Read, E. J. Byrnes, J. C. Madden. (Attorneys, White & Case, 14 Wall St.)

Cortlandt Cabinet Co., Manhattan, radio and phonograph cabinets, $5,000; M. and A. Greenberg, J. Rothstein. (Attorney, J. B. Reif, 233 Broadway.)

320 West 48th Street Restaurant Corp., Manhattan, 100 shares common stock, no par value; H. Shindler, R. Wander, G. Weinstein. (Attorneys, Bockey, Schiller & Serling, Bar Building.)

Artistic Tip Printing Co., Manhattan, $10,000; A. B. Rosenzweig, N. Seaman, J. B. Margolin. (Attorney, M. Rosenzweig, 51 Chambers St.)

Ranger Churchill Agency, Manhattan, advertising, 500 shares common stock, no par value; W. A. Roller, E. J. Churchill, C. F. Ranger. (Attorney, W. F McCormick, Manhattan.)

International Comedies Corp., Manhattan, theatres, $20,000; L. C. Wells, M. D. Horner, G. D. Murphy. (Attroneys, A. H T Bansar, 1,482 West 42d St.)

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Bell Bush Realty Corp., Bronx, $10,000; H. and H. Frankenbush, A. E. Delaney. (Attorney, M. W. Clark, 522 5th Av.)

Elmer Park Bakery, Brooklyn, $6,000; M. Goshman, I. Seidel, M. Spitzer. (Attorney, K. K. Klein, 293 Broadway.)

Wayne Construction Co., Rochester, $5,000; C. J. and T. Clary. (Attorney, D. L. Crowley, Rochester.)

Meyer Vessell, Manhattan, make wearing apparel, $100,000; M. Oblifer, B. Friedman, B. Block. (Attorneys, Arnstein & Levy, 235 5th Av.)

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A. L. J. Building Corp., Brooklyn, $5,000; H. B. Kenworth, A. L. Johnson. (Attorney, [illegible] Eastern, 16 Montague St., Brooklyn.)

Beef Realty Corp., Syracuse, $20,000; F. T. Delaney, E. A. Dollard, H. Brennan. (Attorneys, Jones, Higgins & Tormey, Syracuse.)

Goldsmith & Larisch Hat Co., Manhattan, $10,000; H. and S. Larisch, B. Goldsmith. (Attorney, H. Rosenblum, 116 Nassau St.)

B. King & Co., Manhattan, men's apparel, $100,000; H. and H. F. King. (Attorney, E. B. Cohen, 51 Chambers St.)

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Irvwax Realty Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; R. E. Tinsley, R. E. Winter, I. Gershman. (Attorneys, Schiesinger & Krinsky, 299 Broadway.)

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Unfurnished—West Side.

7TH AV., 1,800 (corner Cathedral Parkway)—9-story fireproof elevator apartment; very desirable 7-8 rooms, 2 baths; $2,000 per annum. Inquire Supt. or Harted Realty Co., Inc. Worth 0974.

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9TH ST., 11-15 WEST (near 5th Av., Washington Square section)—4 rooms, high-class elevator apartments.

47TH, 47 WEST—Exceptional apartments and studios, furnished and unfurnished; all location; $75 up. L. B. Field.

57TH, 31 WEST—Just remodeled; Washington Square section; steam heat; all improvements; apartments of two rooms, bath and kitchenette; four rooms, bath and kitchenette; studios, four rooms, bath and kitchenette. Apply Supt., Inc., 11 East 10th St.

72D, 140 WEST—Two rooms, bath and kitchenette; high class; unusual.

72D, 116 WEST (Hotel George Washington)—2 rooms and bath; unfurnished; maid service.

72D, 240 WEST—Two rooms, bath and kitchenette; very desirable location; near subway express station; $80.

72D, 38 WEST—Delightful apartment, 3 rooms, bath, kitchen; $100. Endicott 1716.

74TH, 129 WEST.
Suites of one, two and three rooms, $1,200 and up; elevator service; maid service if desired. L. J. Phillips & Co., 148 West 72d St. Trafalgar 9300.

74TH, 202 WEST (corner Broadway)—Unusual opportunity to secure 2-room apartment facing Broadway, good light, $140 per month; two flights up. Phone Endicott 2110.

75TH ST., 245 WEST.
BETWEEN WEST END AV. AND B'WAY.
ATTRACTIVE 2 ROOM APARTMENTS.
SUPERINTENDENT ON PREMISES OR FRENCH & FRENCH, INC.,
350 MADISON AV. (45TH ST.), VAN. 8950.

75TH, 18 WEST—Parlor floor, newly decorated, suitable doctor; studio dwelling; reasonable.

76TH—Apartment, two rooms, kitchenette, bath; $80 (bargain). Elberson, 25 West 42d.

77TH ST., 22 WEST.
OPP. MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY.
ATTRACTIVE 1-2 ROOM APARTMENTS.
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78TH, 302 WEST—Modern 2-room, bath and separate kitchenette apartment; side lights, paneled walls, parquet floors; $100.

78TH, 308 WEST—Two very large, beautiful rooms, kitchenette, bath; moderate; references.

83D, 58 WEST — Apartment, three rooms, kitchen, bath; $100. Elberson, or Supt.

85TH, 250 WEST—14-story; two-room and kitchenette apartment, $1,300 yearly.

86TH ST., 121 WEST—2 rooms, bath, kitchenette, of exceptional merit and refinement. Apply on premises. Schuyler 9516.

87TH, 24 WEST—Small and large rooms, kitchenettes, baths; private doorbells; good hall service; $70 up. Owner.

87TH, 323 WEST (Riverside)—Large parlors, baths, kitchen; sunny front suites; reasonable.

88TH, 72 WEST—Seven light rooms, bath, modern improvements. Schuyler 3061.

90TH—Elevator apartment, five rooms, bath; $110. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

91ST and Broadway; sublet suite of 2 rooms and bath in new Hotel Greystone. W. L. Barre.

93D, 4 WEST (at Central Park)—Unusual opportunity of securing 8 large, light rooms in elevator building; $160 up per month. Murray Hill 2118.

93D, 157 WEST—2 front rooms, bath, electricity, gas; every improvement; $95.

93D, 307 WEST—Eight rooms, all light; immediate possession; $2,500.

96TH ST., 317 WEST.
Five-room apartment, redecorated, walls panelled and painted, new fixtures; view over Hudson River; light; reasonable rent; elevator and telephone service. Superintendent on premises or phone Stuyvesant 7520.

96TH, 206 WEST—Five light rooms, modern elevator apartment house. Apply Supt.

96TH ST., 186 WEST.
New apartments, three rooms, $125 per month; only one left; near express subway station.
L. J. PHILLIPS & CO., 148 WEST 72D.
Trafalgar 9300.

96TH ST., 210 WEST (CORNER BROADWAY)—NEW, UP-TO-DATE ELEVATOR APARTMENT HOUSE; EXCEPTIONALLY BEAUTIFUL SUITES OF 2 ROOMS, BATH, KITCHENETTE; MODERATE RENTALS.

100TH ST. (southwest corner of West End Av.)—High-class, fireproof six, seven and eight room apartments; reasonable rent. Inquire on premises.

102D ST., 1 WEST, and 424 Central Park West—7 and 8 rooms, bath, attractive elevator apartments; rental $1,800; overlooking Central Park. Apply on premises or Pease & Elliman, 340 Madison Av. Murray Hill 6200.

104TH ST., 206 WEST—New building, four extra large rooms. Inquire Superintendent, on premises or 217 Broadway, Room 308, Whitehall 5880.

104TH, 115 WEST—4-5, modern elevator, steam heat, all conveniences; ready.

104TH, 5 WEST—Elevator apartments, all improvements; 6 rooms, front, $110-$125.

107TH, 210-220-230 WEST (near Broadway)—Five, six, seven rooms; all improvements; high-class service; elevator; moderate rent. Superintendent on premises. Telephone Academy 4494 or Bingham 1828.

107TH ST., 6 WEST—7 room apartment; newly decorated; immediate possession; elevator service, phone, &c. Supt. on premises.

109TH, 312 WEST (near Riverside Drive)—Five and six rooms; elevator building; reasonable rent. Vanderbilt 9546.

109TH, 312 WEST—4-5 rooms, all improvements; $70-$85. Lackawanna 8223.

110TH, 352 WEST—Seven large, light rooms, elevator; reasonable rent. Superintendent.

111TH ST., 605 WEST (near Riverside Drive)—Four and five rooms, up. Superintendent on premises, or L. J. Phillips & Co., 148 West 72d St. Tel. Trafalgar 9300.

111TH, 501 WEST—Three, four and five room apartments; elevator; telephone; all improvements; $65 to $100. Superintendent.

111TH, 57 WEST (corner)—Six and seven rooms; elevator. Superintendent.

112TH, 540 WEST (near Broadway)—Four large, modern, light rooms; rent moderate.

118TH ST., 535 WEST (Senior Arms)—Beautiful apartments, 2 and 4 rooms; all modern improvements; high-grade elevator apartment houses near Columbia College; moderate rentals.

118TH ST., 507-11-17 WEST—Four rooms, panelled and painted, $1,200-$1,320.
SHARP, NASSOIT & LANNING, INC.,
2,489 Broadway. Riverside 2850.

113TH, 530 WEST—Five rooms, beautifully decorated; high-class elevator. Cathedral 7080.

118TH ST., 141 WEST—6 rooms, steam heat, hot water; $65; bargain.

116TH, 373 WEST (at Morningside Park)—6-room apartment, elevator and full service; excellent layout; rent $115. Inquire Supt.

119TH, 58 WEST—6 large, light rooms, all improvements; reasonable rent.

121ST ST., 519 WEST (near Columbia)—Five large rooms, $1,300. Apply Superintendent.

122D ST., 502-504 WEST—4-5 rooms; high-class elevator apartments near Columbia University; newly decorated, up-to-date; reasonable rental. Apply Superintendent.

122D ST., 515 WEST.
4, 5, 6 room elevator apartments; very desirable; immediate possession; $80 up. Supt.

124TH, 546 WEST (corner Broadway)—Seven rooms; elevator apartment; all improvements.

125TH, 458 WEST—3-4 rooms, bath, hot water supply; electric lights; $48-$48. Apply Wynne, 448 West 125th.

143D, 610 WEST—Just completed, high-class elevator, 2-3-4 room apartments, southern exposure; reasonable.

143D, 519 WEST—6 large, light rooms, ground floor; improvements; reasonable rent.

144TH ST., 617 WEST (near Riverside Drive) —Six exceptionally light rooms; $30. Apply Superintendent or Neh

## FURNISHED ROOMS.
### West Side.

94TH, 49 WEST—Newly opened house, desirable, well furnished, single and double rooms, private baths; phone, every home comfort; refined neighborhood; very reasonable.

94TH, 230 WEST—Handsomely newly furnished light parlor, connecting bedroom; twin beds; unusually appointed; homelike; splendid heat. Childress.

95TH, 245 WEST—Desirable rooms; single beds or business women; elevator; near Drive.

96TH, 35 WEST—Most beautifully furnished rooms, exclusive house; moderate; real opportunity.

96TH, 342 WEST—Parlor and bedroom; suitable two persons; refined surroundings. Adoree.

96TH, 351 WEST—Beautiful large room, elegantly furnished; bath, kitchenette; French family.

96TH, 340 WEST—Attractive single, double; water; modern; ladies; after 4. Perham.

97TH, 544 WEST—Beautiful front parlor, with grand piano; other room. Kierstead.

98TH, 48 WEST—LARGE, BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED FRONT ROOM; COMPLETE KITCHENETTE; SPECIAL RATES.

98TH, 202 WEST—Attractive large and small rooms; kitchen privileges; elevator. Kennedy.

99TH, 309 WEST (3C)—Comfortable room, 1 or 2 gentlemen; reasonable.

99TH, 49 WEST—Double furnished room, private bath, kitchenette; $26 week up.

99TH, 204 WEST—Attractive rooms, elevator house; business people; references. 6W.

97TH, 356 WEST—Exceptionally large, attractively furnished; private bath; southern exposure; light housekeeping; private house; near Drive, subway.

99TH, 310 WEST—Large front basement, private bath, kitchenette; double room, bath.

99TH, 311 WEST—Attractive sunny room; select house; gentlemen; references.

91ST, 3 WEST—Large room, running water, bath adjoining, reasonable. 4E.

91ST, 7 WEST—Nice bright room, opposite bath; all conveniences; reasonable. Cassidy.

92D, 12 WEST—Large, sunny room, well heated, running water; kitchen; $12.

92D, 202 WEST—2-ROOM HOUSEKEEPING SUITE. HERSH.

92D, 154 WEST—Living-bedroom, kitchenette, private bath, $22; double, $18.

94TH (314 Riverside Drive)—Handsomely furnished double front room; also room suitable, three; adjoining bath; elevator. Beck (37).

96TH, 830 WEST (near Drive)—Redecorated, large, small, kitchen available. Apartment 4C.

96TH, 64 WEST—Front parlor, furnished; suitable for business or two gentlemen.

97TH, 313 WEST—Cozy single for young lady; kitchen privileges. Gorton.

### 96TH ST., 33 WEST.

Double room, private bath; two-room suite, adjoining bath; newly furnished, kitchenettes, home atmosphere; bachelors, business people preferred.

97TH, 311 WEST—In congenial group and pleasant home, attractive room; large, comfortable, quiet; adjoining bath; references. Taliaferro.

97TH, 1 WEST (corner park)—Elegant furnished front rooms, steam heat guaranteed; elevator, running water; $9 up weekly.

98TH, 316 WEST—Attractive, plenty hot water, steam heat; kitchenette, Riverside 10952.

98TH, 254 WEST—Exclusive home, will rent large comfortable front room, bath, shower, running water; gentleman. Apt. 7.

98TH, 310 WEST (Apt. 61)—Warm, cozy double; suitable 1-2; running water, two large closets. Riverside 1955.

98TH, 306 WEST—Attractive large and small rooms; kitchen privileges; elevator. Kennedy.

98TH, 304 WEST (7W)—Attractive front room, warm, light, cozy, running water.

101ST, 311 WEST—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED ROOMS; PRIVATE BATHS; SEPARATE KITCHEN; ALSO FRONT BASEMENT, PRIVATE BATH, KITCHENETTE; WEEKLY; REASONABLE.

101ST (643 West End Av.)—Comfortable room, running water, $8.50. McQuillin.

101, 309 WEST—Large outside; running water; also single; $6 up. Wilson.

103D ST., 212 WEST—Single front; improvements; private entrance; gentleman; $8. Maline.

106TH, 216 WEST—Room, piano, $10; smaller, $8 (to professionals); kitchen. Bell.

107TH, 220 WEST (Apt. 59)—Attractive, sunny, double, $12; elevator. Long.

107TH, 235 WEST (Broadway)—Attractive front suite, twin beds; elevator. Apt. 11.

108TH, 328 WEST—LUXURIOUSLY FURNISHED DOUBLE ROOM, PRIVATE TILED BATH, SHOWERS, COMPLETE KITCHENETTE; ALSO SINGLE ROOMS.

108TH, 328 WEST—Beautifully furnished double room, private bath, kitchenette; excellent house.

109TH, 320 WEST—DOUBLE ROOM, KITCHENETTE, $10 UP; SKYLIGHT ROOM, $6.

109TH, 312 WEST—Warm, sunny room, running water, adjoining bath. Apt. 71.

110TH, 407 WEST (Riverside)—Beautiful front room (gentleman), exclusive elevator apartment, small Jewish family; exceptional environment. Goldkopf. Cathedral 5769.

111TH, 326 WEST—Large room, near bath, with kitchen privileges. Borden.

111TH, 332 WEST (Apt. 46)—Single room for refined business woman; reasonable.

112TH, 611 WEST—Light, clean, homelike room. Cathedral 9744.

112TH, 238 WEST—Furnished room and kitchenette, every modern convenience; reasonable.

112TH, 511 WEST (Apt. 6)—Medium, single room; also small; comfortable home.

114TH ST., 611 WEST—Family going to Florida for winter will rent six-room apartment; newly furnished; two baths; victrola, piano, radio; adults. Apt. 2. Phone Cathedral 3920.

118TH, 417 WEST—Light, pleasant, newly decorated, craftsman furniture; women. Apartment 41.

118TH, 413 WEST (Apt. 41)—Single room; clean and comfortable; elevator; $6.

121ST, 257 WEST—Beautiful large parlor, twin beds; also cozy housekeeping rooms.

121ST, 420 WEST—Warm room, home for a gentleman; French family. Apt. 2.

122D, 520 WEST (6D)—Comfortable, homelike front room; piano; refined home; elevator.

123D, 416 WEST (4)—Large room facing park; kitchen privileges; $12; two light, connecting rooms, water, private kitchenette.

124TH, 530 WEST—Comfortable rooms; board optional; private family; convenience. Apt. 13.

125TH, 612 WEST—Room with bath, kitchenette, electricity, hot water; private house; phone; near subway, Riverside; $15 week.

126TH, 602 WEST (Apt. 44)—Comfortable warm front room suitable for two.

140TH (3,440 Broadway)—Sunny, well furnished, comfortable room; elevator; private family. (27).

145TH, 418 WEST—Lovely back parlor, kitchenette, private bath; also single room.

159TH, 575 WEST—Large sunny room, kitchen; facing Broadway; smaller room. Turner.

188TH, 606 WEST—Comfortable room, modern; reasonable; private. Apt. C. Wadsworth 9052.

CATHEDRAL PARKWAY, 500 — Outside rooms; newly furnished; third floor; elevator, shower; reasonable; references. Apartment 2D.

CENTRAL PARK WEST, 294 (89th)—Double room, $60; other rooms, $40-$35 monthly; shower, kitchen. Schuyler 7802. Gautier.

GREENWICH VILLAGE — Sunny, warm room, fireplace, water, electricity; gentleman. Chelsea 0535.

MANHATTAN AV., 80 (104th)—Small room, heat; business lady; breakfast served; private family; near "L." Academy 5034. Brown.

MORNINGSIDE DRIVE—Two outside, newly furnished; reasonable. Apartment 45. Cathedral 7520.

MORNINGSIDE DRIVE—Two large, bright, outside rooms; one running water. Cathedral 8522.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, near 85th St.—One of the handsomest houses on Drive; exclusive furnished suite, piano; also separate room, twin beds, all overlooking river; sacrifice half value. Telephone Endicott 1926.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 329—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED DOUBLE FRONT ROOMS, COMPLETE KITCHENETTE; ALSO TWO-ROOM SUITE, PRIVATE BATH, REAL KITCHEN; SPECIAL RATES.

RIVERSIDE, 214 (94th)—Charming large room facing Hudson; kitchenette; permanent guests. Morten.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 266—ATTRACTIVELY FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, $10.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 352 (Apt. 6F)—Room next bath; river view. 7466 Morningside.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 351 (87th)—Front room, phone, piano; small room; meals optional.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 110 (83d)—Beautiful room, twin beds, $18. Apt. 12.

TIEMANN PLACE (block south 125th Broadway subway station)—Outside room, adjoining bath; gentleman of refinement. Telephone Morningside 4070.

WEST END, 347 (78th)—Handsomely furnished, redecorated; rooms, abundant heat; hot water; owner's home; ten baths; rooms; moderate; homelike.

WEST END, 471—Beautiful room, Hudson view, suitable 1-2. Tenth floor.

SMALL room for small woman; partly furnished; kitchen, bath, telephone; $35 monthly. 29 Times 100 Broadway.

LIGHT, airy front room, attractive, homelike; one or two refined gentlemen; private bath. Phone Academy 9031; 17-9.

### Brooklyn.

DOWNING ST., 48—Large, sunny room; nicely furnished; convenient to all car lines; hot and cold water and steam heat; suitable for light housekeeping for couple or two gentlemen; private house. Phone Prospect 10096.

## FURNISHED ROOMS.
### Long Island.

KEW GARDENS—Two attractive furnished rooms, bath, kitchenette; beautiful private residence; convenient location; reasonable. Phone Richmond Hill 3012W.

## UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

61ST, 101 EAST—Front parlor with bedroom, unfurnished or unfurnished, all improvements.

## ROOMS WANTED.
### Furnished.

WANTED, between West 72d and 96th, medium-sized, light room in elevator apartment; refined, middle-aged man. Gentile; lowest monthly terms. F 264 Times.

TWO well-furnished rooms with private bath and all accommodations wanted near city; good piano absolutely necessary. F 554 Times.

YOUNG MAN desires large furnished room or 2-room apartment between 30th-59th Sts., Madison-9th Aves. Write Wadsworth 0756.

YOUNG MAN desires comfortable, warm room, private family; terms. K 95 Times.

## BOARDERS WANTED.
### East Side.

62D, 38 EAST—Two or three fine rooms; every convenience; elevator.

MADISON AV., 213 (26th St.)—Single, double rooms; excellent table; references.

### West Side.

53D, 64 WEST—Attractive large room with bath; references.

54TH, 28 WEST—Desirable double room; good board; southern exposure; references.

57TH, 351 WEST—Large, small rooms; private baths; French cooking; electricity, telephone.

58TH, 46 WEST—Single and double rooms; southern exposure; French; references.

70TH, 54 WEST—Beautiful large rooms, private bath; all improvements; excellent cooking. Butler.

73D, 65 WEST (The Little House)—Rooms with board; table guests; references.

73D (270 WEST END AV.)
Luxurious room, private bath; excellent table.

75TH, 251 WEST—Beautiful, large $24; small $14; excellent table; refined service.

76TH, 25 WEST—Handsomely furnished double front room, bath; exceptional home cooking.

80TH, 24 WEST—Double room, bath connecting; superior table. Spier, 6694 Schuyler.

82D, 307 WEST—Large, light rooms; southern exposure; board optional. Apt. 5.

116TH, 515 WEST—AMERICAN - JEWISH HOME; LARGE OUTSIDE ROOM; RUNNING WATER; EXCELLENT TABLE. FELDMAN, CATHEDRAL 3096.

EVELYN LODGE—Charming Winter residence, 25 minutes downtown New York; 50 sunny outside rooms, lovely furnished; excellent chef and service; select, clean, very attractive; 16 years one management; weekly with meals, single, $20; double, $35 up. 71 Central Av., St. George, S. I. Booklet.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 294—Attractive single, double rooms; excellent meals; elevator residence; convenient. Phone Richmond Hill 3012W.

WEST END AV., 605 (89th)—Excellent home cooking, steam heated; electricity; reasonable.

## COUNTRY BOARD.
### New Jersey.

GLEN RIDGE—Beautiful home; superior meals; private baths; garages. Phone 9066. F 542 Times.

MONTCLAIR INN,
27 hillside Av.
Phone 2977 Montclair. Montclair, N. J.

NERVOUS AND MENTAL CONDITIONS. LYNWOOD LODGE, ENGLEWOOD, N. J.

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228 Corlies Av., Pelham Heights, N. Y.—1 one or two rooms and bath; excellent cuisine; block from station. Pelham 1218.

THE NEW BEVAN HOTEL,
Larchmont, 35 minutes from Grand Central. Now open. Special Winter Rates.
Double room with bath, meals for two, $50 per week up; single room, running water, meals for one, $30 week up. Send for booklet. Tel. Larchmont 760. I. C. Secor, Mgr.

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ARTIST desires position or free lance, black and white line drawing. Apt. 1B, 608 5th Av., Astoria.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER, experienced, expert office assistant; references. Eskelsim, 1,552 38th St., Brooklyn.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER, typist, 17, exceptionally bright beginner; $14. Ideal School, Stuyvesant 9065.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER, ledger clerk; 4 years' experience, $20. K 905 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER-ACCOUNTANT, CREDIT AND OFFICE MANAGER, CONTROLLER OR BUDGETARY EXECUTIVE ABILITY. VARIED EXPERIENCE, DESIRES TO CONNECT WITH RELIABLE ORGANIZATION. F 277 TIMES.

BOOKKEEPER-STENOGRAPHER, 10 years' experience, thorough knowledge controlling accounts, trial balance; full charge. M 596 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, correspondent, stenographer, college education, thoroughly experienced, executive; $30. Y 2471 Times Annex.

BOOKKEEPER, stenographer, 12 years complete charge office; start $25. Telephone Bryant 1221.

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST, 17, beginner, reliable, references; $14. Miss May, Drydock 0009.

BOOKKEEPER, full charge; 7 years' experience; correspondent; stenographer. B 476 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, graduate business school, also typist, desires position. Helen Enoch. Butterfield 7979.

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST, five years' experience, complete charge; $25. K 901 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, accountant, permanent or part time. Box 43, 2,119 3d Av.

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST, high school graduate; 5 years' experience; $20. K 122 Times.

BOOKKEEPER-CASHIER, part time. Anderson, 557 West 150th.

CASHIER wishes position, day or evenings. Telephone Monument 9402 from 9-1.

CLERICAL, 18, part time, addressing, long-hand or typewriting, folding; 1:30-5:30, 5 afternoons; $6. Hannah. Drydock 0008.

COOK, German-American, first-class; excellent manager; references. F 586 Times.

DECORATOR, expert, long experience, rapid, artistic draperies, bedroom sets, lamp shades, pillows, curtains; $7 daily. Madame, Madison Square 6500.

DRESSMAKER, gowns, alterations, remodeling; $7 daily or home; stouts fitted. Radburn 4703.

DRESSMAKER, Vienna, copy any afternoon and evening gown; remodeling. Lenox 6388.

DRESSMAKER, high-class; street, evening dresses, coats, capes; remodeling, cut or home. 1156 Av. A, Schuyler 4089.

GIRLS, two Scotch, wish position together as cook and children's nurse or second maid; good references. F 572 Times.

HOUSEKEEPER for business people; clean, capable, economical; Protestant; American; 36; references; please state wages. Telephone Althea, Sterling 2408, 365 Bergen St., Brooklyn.

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined, educated, reliable woman with healthy baby; good cook, houseworker; country; reasonable. B 413 Times.

HOUSEKEEPER, working; refined German-American; private family; excellent references. F 587 Times.

HOUSEWORKER—Cook, chambermaid, waitress, nursing; whole, part; sleep out. Mabel, Bradhurst 5538.

LADIES Maid seeks position; good traveler, packer, sewer. Box 172, 1,039 3d Av.

LAUNDRESS, experienced all branches, wants to cater to a few private families; fine French, pleating and table linens our specialty; large airy yard; references. 205 East 60th. Regent 3402.

LAUNDRESS, reliable, desires several discriminating patrons; excellent washing and ironing; sanitary, open air drying; best references. Endicott 1170.

LAUNDRESS, competent, Swedish; by day; even plain sewing, darning, mending. Mail A., care Tetterberg, 305 East 58th.

MAID (part time); good seamstress; practical nurse. Advertiser, 127 West 106th (basement).

MAID-SEAMSTRESS, colored, refined or stay in evenings with children. Brad. 0695.

MAID, lady's, to take care of apartment. Bradhurst 4707.

MOTHER'S helper, gentlewoman, visiting, experienced; forenoon, afternoon; full particulars. K 129 Times.

NURSE, care for children afternoon and evenings; references. B 1107 Times Harlem.

NURSE—English, recommended by lady at Plaza; baby's, temporarily, permanently engaged.

NURSE, English graduate, take care semi-invalid; no night duty. Phone Nevins 1562 after 2 P. M.

NURSE, practical, or maid-companion to lady; good sewer, packer. Riverside 3910.

NURSERY GOVERNESS wishes position only in the country or with family going South or West. M 502 Times.

OFFICE ASSISTANT, file clerk; 2 years' experience; $18. K 906 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY, stenographer, experienced, conscientious, possessing tact, initiative and executive ability; capable of assuming complete charge of office. K 181 Times.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER desires position; thoroughly familiar typing, financial statements; accountant's office, also hotel experience. Cathedral 9240. (Apt. 21).

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER seeks position of responsibility, college graduate, six years' experience. F 564 Times.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, EXPERIENCED, EFFICIENT, REFERENCES. F 590 TIMES.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, Christian, 8 years' technical commercial experience. F 288 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, knowledge bookkeeping, all office routine, 5 years' experience, high school graduate, efficient, conscientious, references; $23. Dayton 2433.

STENOGRAPHER, exceptionally bright beginner, high school education, $12. K 849 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER-TYPIST, knowledge bookkeeping, 17, recent graduate; $15. Helen, Bowling Green 5779.

STENOGRAPHER, five years' commercial experience; competent; highest references. Haddingway 9832.

STENOGRAPHER-TYPIST, 17, beginner, reliable; references; $14. Miss Katy, Drydock 0009.

STENOGRAPHER, accountant, auditing, tax reports. Telephone Bryant 7957.

STENOGRAPHER, exceptionally bright beginner, high school education; $12. M 623 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, refined, seven years' experience, intelligently handle detail. Weinberg, 319 West 94th.

STENOGRAPHER, clerk, 5 years' experience; knowledge office routine; small office. Beachview 4027.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced legal, literary; good grammarian; initiative; references; $25. Bryant 8447.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, knowledge bookkeeping; high school graduate; excellent references; $22. Tremont 1847.

STENOGRAPHER, competent, thoroughly familiar with office routine; five years' experience. Hans Keller, 1764.

STENOGRAPHER, wide awake, intelligent, beginner, recent graduate; $12. K 898 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, secretary, graduate business school, desires position. Butterfield 1979. Mary Murphy.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY, EXPERT, EXPERIENCED LITERARY, COMMERCIAL, $35. UNDERHILL 0514. F 295 TIMES.

STENOGRAPHER, high school graduate, three years' experience; good references; $25. Lehigh 3899.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR, knowledge of typing and clerical work, four years' experience; good references. F 253 Times.

TYPIST, knowledge stenography, Monitor switchboard, 4 years' experience; $18. B 470 Times.

TYPIST, assistant bookkeeper, two years' experience, desires steady position; $18. Intervale 2350.

TYPIST—General office assistant; 3 years' experience, $18. K 907 Times Downtown.

TYPIST, rapid and accurate, wants temporary work; references. F 564 Times.

VISITING LADY'S MAID—Japanese, refined woman; first-class city references; long experience; seamstress. Tel. B 1108 Times Harlem.

WAITRESS by day; serve dinners, luncheons; accommodating. Delamere, 220 East 85th. Tel. Lenox 3978.

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### MY ASSISTANT,

a college graduate and stenographer, is available for $35, because I am leaving; has unusual ability, energy, loyalty. F 289 Times.

CAPABLE young woman, bookkeeper and typewriter operator desires position; can keep double entry and corporation books; uses the typewriter with good skill; moderate salary. Address C. Y., Box 112 Times.

DINNER cook and day's work; references. Lee, 509 West 146th, Bradhurst 4926.

### Employment Agencies.

DAY WORKERS; general housework, colored; references investigated. Mrs. Kemp's Agency, Audubon 2856.

EVELYN PRICE AGENCY, 1,493 B'WAY. Stenographers, typists, clerks. Lackawanna 0288.

### Domestic.

HOUSEWORKERS (employers free), couples, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, part time, day workers. References. Bradhurst Agency, 210 West 135th St. Bradhurst 1536-2580.

COOKS, houseworkers, part timers, chambermaids, cleaners, laundresses, kitchenmaids, waitresses, colored (white), couples, porters; references; agency (free). Audubon 5774.

BERTHA CARLSON'S Swedish Agencies—Excellent servants, 2,418 Broadway, corner 89th. Schuyler 1967. East side, 767 Lexington (61st).

SOUTHERN help, domestics of all kinds. Williams Colored Employment Agency, 45 West 99th, Academy 9130. References investigated.

HOUSEWORKERS, Colored, chambermaids, waitresses, cooks; laundresses, day workers; references. Bradhurst 1038, agency.

DAY'S WORKERS, housekeepers, part timers; competent; all kind; colored agency. Morningside 6001.

TINKA ANDREESEN, Scandinavian Agency, 2,299 Broadway (83d). Endicott 7740-7741.

## SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT, certified, 29, married, university graduate; several years' experience; accountant and office manager, desires to associate himself with commercial concern where intelligence and loyalty will be exchanged for opportunities for advancement. N 523 Times.

ACCOUNTANT-EXECUTIVE, college man, 30, ten years' experience, accountancy, credits, collections, office management, now employed, open for connection with reliable concern; proven executive; excellent references; salary $30. K 125 Times.

ACCOUNTANT-EXECUTIVE, Christian, 35, married, practical knowledge administration, factory management, general accounting, systematizing; excellent endorsement. K 128 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, executive; 15 years chief accountant and treasurer for manufacturing corporation; thorough knowledge accounting and administration and have directed large personnel; first-class credentials. M 4 Times.

ACCOUNTANCY STUDENT, 24, N. Y. U., experienced bookkeeper, wishes position with accountant few evenings weekly, Saturdays, Sundays; conscientious, reliable; good references. F 284 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, qualified executive, broad business experience, expert installation, factory cost and general accounting systems. K 896 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, 26, seven years' varied experience; audits, investigations, tax; college graduate; good appearance; references available immediately. M 588 Times.

ACCOUNTANTS—Books opened, closed, systematized, special bookkeeping arrangements, certified financial statements, tax reports. Telephone Bryant 7957.

ACCOUNTANT-OFFICE MANAGER; has six years' experience with mercantile concern and can handle credit collections. K 107 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, college graduate, desires accounting connection part-whole time; efficient typist; moderate salary. M 618 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, third year university student, 23, bookkeeper, desires employment certified firm. B 410 Times.

ACCOUNTANT-OFFICE MANAGER desires position; fifteen years' experience; Christian. K 10 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, 28. Experienced, willing to travel if necessary; references. F 575 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, semi-senior, permanent position four days weekly, references. F 577 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, books audited, tax service, bookkeeping. L. Joseph, 1,133 Broadway. Watkins 4110.

ACCOUNTANT, 24, university graduate, seeks permanent connection. M 616 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, bookkeeping; firms without bookkeeper; $25 weekly; books opened, &c. Bryant 4922.

ADVERTISING agency executive open for new connection Jan. 1; good personality; successful salesman; prolific producer of finished copy; 13 years' experience as creative and account executive with leading agencies; now in New York for interviews. Please address immediately, R 411 Times.

ADVERTISING MANAGER seeks opening with large manufacturer or retailer in New York; seven years' experience as advertising agency; satisfactory reasons for stere; now connected with prominent advertising agency; satisfactory reasons for wishing to change. B 472 Times.

ADVERTISING MANAGER or copy writer, keen, analytical mind, experience and originality may find practical solution for your advertising problems; permanent position. F 247 Times.

ADVERTISING WRITER—8 years copy chief of large agencies. M 29 Times.

ARTIST—Color, black and white, pen; high-class commercial, fashion drawings; free-lance work. B 1159 Times Harlem.

ASSISTANT to executive ($4); Protestant; well equipped; experienced secretary; correspondent; executive ability. K 898 Times Downtown.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER, typist, experienced; will do manual work. F 522 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, expert, conscientious, faithful worker, with years' experience, has been sales ability, desires connection in sales promotion quality line, where producing results and large sales will yield $6,000 to $10,000 yearly in commissions; salary not considered; state full particulars. P 93 Times.

BOOKKEEPER or assistant; four years' experience, accounting student, capable taking full charge; knowledge typing; moderate salary. Def'varity 9869.

BOOKKEEPER-ACCOUNTANT, 27; college graduate; 7 years' bookkeeping, 3 years' accounting experience. Tyrrell, Box 81, 962 Broadway, Brooklyn.

BOOKKEEPER, credit man, office manager, 26, executive, initiative ability; 10 years' ladies', men's apparel. Roseman, 920 East 163d.

BOOKKEEPER, live wire, good personality, adaptable to any position requiring initiative and responsibility; proved record. B 435 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, thorough, experienced accountant; charge of small office; $38. Y 590 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, accountant, long experience; a systematizer for general and cost accounts; good reference. M 5 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, accountant, auditing, tax reports; college graduate; $35. D 1024 Times Annex.

BOOKKEEPER, accountant, 28, desires position with manufacturer or accountant. F 581 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, 28; seven years' experience general office details; good education; moderate salary. M 304 Times.

BOOKKEEPER and stenographer, competent; salary $45. C 903 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER-ACCOUNTANT, college graduate; 1 year with C. P. A.; $30. 1695 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, university graduate; full charge; age 23. K 902 Times Downtown.

### BUYER OF LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR,

thoroughly experienced, ten years' constant contact with New York market, seeks position with progressive bargain basement with possibilities of development or large resident office. F 558 Times.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC, white, 12 years' experience driving and repairing; any car; needs reliable, pleasant position; wants steady with last employer; exceptional private references verifying ability, honesty, energy or country position. James, Telephone Spring 6.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC, A-1, Japanese; 10 years' experience; expert driver; all makes of cars; wishes position private family; willing to do extra work beside driving; highest references. Lexington 4555.

CHAUFFEURS—High-class private chauffeurs supplied free, Society of Professional Automobile Engineers, 15-159 West 66th, Trafalgar 9194-5185.

CHAUFFEUR, French, 23, ex-army aviator, good driver, any cars, wishes private position. F 278 Time.

CHAUFFEUR—Laying my car up; wish to place my chauffeur; competent; clean, Schuyler 4865. Patterson, 167 West 87th.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC (27); years' experience, Pierce, Packard, Cadillac; A1 references. Joe McQuade, Cathedral 4900.

CHAUFFEUR with selling ability wishes position, 90 N. Y. Times, Brooklyn Branch.

CHEMIST, analytical; young Swede desires anything in chemical line; any branch industry. Write Box 519, 139 East 34th St.

CULTURED GENTLEMAN, mature age, trustworthy, tactful, traveled; five languages; familiar with handling estates, publicity, finance, accounting, advertising, correspondence; machine writer; desires position; satisfactory references furnished. B 432 Times.

COMPANION—Gentleman, refined, desirable, employed, would like position companion to gentleman, days, evenings. F 279 Times.

COST ACCOUNTANT, three years' practical experience, cost, payroll distribution; experienced paymaster; valuable to manufacturing concern; best; excellent references; 28; married. F 296 Times.

COUPLE, white, Americans, chauffeur-mechanic, useful; wife, competent cook; highest referenced last employer. Phone Lackawanna 0686. Room 517.

COUPLE go South, hotel or private family; husband handy any work; wife seamstress, governess. Y 2491 Times Annex.

COUPLE, light colored, useful, chauffeur, butler, cook; references. Harlem 4480. Apt. 10C.

DESIGNER, European training, modern, floral and decorative novelties, ornament, cretonnes, wallpaper, wants position. B 369 Times.

DRAFTSMAN, mechanical, college graduate, three years' experience, desires position. F 281 Times.

DRAFTSMAN, thoroughly experienced; general machinery and piping for power and industrial plants. 900 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMEN, building construction, machine designing, technical, rapid; moderate salary. K 127 Times.

DRAFTSMAN, architectural; university graduate; high-class work; $60. F 576 Times.

DRUGGIST, junior, with long experience abroad, desires position. B 447 Times.

EDITOR-MANAGER, ex-officer, 35; 20 years' intensive Canadian experience as publisher's executive; available immediately; anywhere; exceptional references. F 599 Times.

ELECTRICIAN, German, non-union, desires position; construction concern. O. Kreiger, 40 West 92d.

EXECUTIVE, 32, married, Christian, desires position office manager, accountant, bookkeeper, or secretary; fluent English, German, Polish, Russian; knowledge French. Polish, Spanish; best references. Write Croy, 94 Trossach Rd., Stapleton, S. I.

EXECUTIVE, competent, resourceful, personality, 25 years' experience, manager, importer, domestic textiles, NY, married; excellent references. B 480 Times.

INVENTOR, mechanical, college graduate, aged 26, presently employed, desires opportunity to earn living and develop inventions; all references. F 578 Times.

GARDENER, caretaker, English, married, competent all branches; references. K 886 Times Downtown.

JAPANESE, good cook, butler, as general housework, trustworthy, middle age; good references. Y. Wada, 146 West 35th St. Endicott 2816.

JAPANESE as cook or butler; experience and good reference. Y Mank, care Japanese Y. M. C. Church, 323 West 106th St.

JAPANESE—General housework; sleep out. Tel. Morningside 6198. 102 W. 123d St.

JEWELRY REPAIRER, expert, lately landed, wants position. M. Andai, Elton Hotel, 4th Av., 28th St., New York.

LAWYER, 45 YEARS OF AGE, WHO FOR OVER TWENTY YEARS HAS SPECIALIZED AS COUNSEL AND GENERAL BUSINESS ADVISER TO REPUTABLE FIRMS AND CORPORATIONS, DEVOTING PART TIME AT THE OFFICE OF CLIENTS DESIRES TO ASSOCIATE HIMSELF WITH A LARGE CONCERN; HIGHEST REFERENCES AS TO INTEGRITY AND ABILITY. K 807 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

LAWYER, EXPERIENCED IN BUSINESS AFFAIRS, CARE OF PROPERTY AND ATTENTION TO DETAILS, WISHES SMALL OFFICE OR INDIVIDUAL WITH LARGE PROPERTY INTERESTS; EXCEPTIONAL REFERENCES. M 604 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

MAN—Aged 28, recently honorably discharged from U. S. Marine Corps, a senior non-commissioned officer, desires permanent employment of any legitimate kind; honest, industrious and capable of assuming responsibility. E. J. D., P. O. Box 3, Convent, N. J.

MAN of middle age wishes situation in a bank as messenger, or in a safe deposit department; experience; bank reference. B 400 Times.

PRIVATE secretary to gentleman or corporation, competent young man, refined, diplomatic, experienced executive. M 617 Times Downtown.

PURCHASING AGENT, 32, technical graduate, desires responsible position; six years purchasing agent machinery for export. M 595 Times.

REAL ESTATE MANAGER, 36, wide experience managing, leasing, collecting, upkeep apartment houses; available Jan. 1. O 573 Times.

REAL ESTATE MANAGER, 35, wide experience managing, repairs, collecting, leasing; best of references and bond. B 437 Times.

### SALES EXECUTIVE

with exceptional business training and ability, backed by personality and good health, desires connection with

MANUFACTURER OF HIGH STANDING.

Have traveled from coast to coast with the men in the field, interviewing the leading BUSINESS MEN, creating the CONFIDENCE AND COOPERATION between the manufacturer and distributor necessary for the successful and permanent growth of a national business. Salary, $10,000. Christian. Box K 897 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, 34, married, college education, pleasing personality, now employed, but leaving, desires position as assistant sales manager or salesman; successful sales record; available next week. F 298 Time.

SALESMAN, experienced, successful, open to represent reputable house in California; good organizer; keen, energetic worker; exceptional ability; sound judgment; highest credentials. S. Hart, 1,000 Madison Av.

SALESMAN, toys, sporting goods, stationery, 12 years' experience, city and traveling, well acquainted jobbing trade throughout country, seeks good connections. B. 461 Times.

SALESMAN, hosiery, underwear, wants connection with reliable house; experienced; best references; traveling New York State. B 435 Times.

SALESMAN—Painting contractor can secure services former contractor as salesman; commission or salary; have orders with working organization and future trade. F 408 Times.

SALESMAN, now covering Texas with specialty, wishes change; now in New York; any territory or line considered; salary or commission. F 596 Times.

SALESMAN, 28, 8 years' business experience, wholesale cotton goods, 3 years' automobile; references; Christian. C 904 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, producer, open proposition, recent established concern; credentials required; ability and integrity; drawing account essential. F 589 Times.

SALESMAN, executive, experienced, 36, desires position; reputable concern; salary plus commission; has closed car. 82 N. Y. Times Brooklyn Branch.

SALESMAN, braid, acquainted lampshade, art, embroidery trade; references. F 574 Times.

SALESMAN, experienced millwork, building materials through New Jersey; has good following; own automobile. F 591 Times.

SALESMAN, glove, kindred line; 3 years' experience; now employed. B 459 Times.

SALESMAN with car covers good line; five wire. S. S., 3,019 3d Av.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, young lady with business experience; graduate of business college; highest references. K 820 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY - EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT, college man, stenographer, bookkeeper, correspondent, credits. M 106 Times.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, salesman, experienced, well educated, seeks position. 94 N. Y. Times Brooklyn Branch.

SERVICE MANAGER, at present in executive position with a 5th Av. department store, would like position as head of service in store doing $2,000,000 business or better; age 40; 18 years' experience; best references. B 191 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER-CORRESPONDENT, executive ability, initiative, writing ability, seeks responsible position; uptown preferred; $30 up. Steno., 240 West 107th.

STENOGRAPHER, 26, correspondent; broad business experience, tshaw, 103 W. 119th St. University 5462.

STENOGRAPHER, 24, 5 years' experience; $30; finest references. F 292 Times.

TRAFFIC MANAGER, thoroughly competent, nine years' railroad, commercial experience. B 449 Times.

UPHOLSTERER, cabinetmaker, work premises; reasonable. Tenbeca, 217 West 69th.

YOUNG MAN, 23, college education, desires position with progressive foreign importer; importing house; will start at bottom; knowledge of bookkeeping, typewriting, general office routine; pleasing personality; reliable, energetic. Room 104, Harlem Branch, M. M.

YOUNG MAN, 23, college graduate, three years' business experience, seeks responsible position with growing concern where energy and ambition are rewarded. F 145 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 22, college education, desires connections real estate, stock or bond house; experience. 93 N. Y. Times Brooklyn Branch.

YOUNG MAN, 23, high school education, good penman; good at figures; willing worker, wishes position. P 88 Times.

YOUNG MAN wants position in store or office as dispenser or neat appearance. Howard, 127 East 86th St.

YOUNG MAN, educated, willing, some selling experience, desires to connect with reliable concern. F 578 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 24, good education and appearance, desires connection correspondent, import and export. F 583 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, desires position, previous experience, knowledge of bookkeeping and typewriting. F 595 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 26, experienced factory and office detail and management, desires mercantile connection; references. B 447 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 23, university education, desires legitimate position. B 388 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, position in foreign country; excellent references. F 597 Times.

YOUNG MAN desires evening position; preferably auditing or cashier. F 573 Times.

SWEDE—Nice young man, well educated, wants position; useful as elevator operator, houseman, &c., in hotel or family. Write Y 2491 Times Annex.

EVENING POSITION after 5:30; college training; experienced bookkeeper, stenographer, typist retail salesman. Jewelry Store, 1,445 St. Nicholas Av.

### Employment Agencies.

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JAPANESE agency, experienced

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### SALESMEN,
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to sell the new Series 80 Pierce-Arrow car in Essex, Hudson and Bergen Counties; permanent and profitable positions on commission basis are open for the right men; will consider applicants without previous experience selling automobiles; preference given to residents of territory. Apply by LET-TER ONLY giving age and previous selling experience.

ELLIS MOTOR CAR COMPANY,
Pierce-Arrow Distributors,
416 Central Av., Newark, N. J.

TEACHER—Business school, Manhattan, requires successful, experienced teacher day and evening; bookkeeping, arithmetic, commercial law, penmanship; state education; experience, age, religion, salary expected. A 87 Times.

WINDOW CLEANER (white), experienced on tall buildings; opening is in high class office building; salary $24. Call after 9 A. M., at 229 West 43d St., 13th floor.

WINDOW DRESSER, experienced, for a permanent position; straight salary; write, giving age, experience and salary. R 819 Times.

YOUNG MAN as assistant to buyer and manager and assist as floor salesman; experienced in housefurnishings, toys and furniture line preferable; must have good bearing, good education and have full knowledge of office details. Write fully, Frank & Son, 935 Broadway.

YOUNG MAN, 16-18 YEARS, CLERICAL WORK; OFFICE LARGE MERCANTILE FIRM; MUST BE GOOD PENMAN, ACCURATE AT FIGURES; STATE EDUCATION, SALARY EXPECTED. P. O. BOX 27, MADISON SQUARE STATION.

YOUNG MEN, 16 TO 20, FOR STOCK WORK IN HAT AND SILK DEPARTMENTS. WHOLESALE MILLINERY HOUSE; EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY FOR ADVANCEMENT. APPLY MR. JUDKINS, A. McCORMICK CO., 385 MADISON AV.

YOUNG MAN, about 17 years of age, some high school education; typewriting essential; stenography helpful; good appearance and personality essential; splendid opportunity for conscientious worker. D 1028 Times Annex.

YOUNG MAN, American, between 16 and 18, bright, ambitious, good appearance, high school education, in office of American dry goods commission house; good salary and chance for advancement. V 846 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN about 20, intelligent and of large textile house; must be able to write good hand; state full particulars and salary expected. V 846 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, office of large lace importing house; must be high school graduate and some well recommended; reply, stating age, reference and previous employment. Box 428, 2801 World Tower Building.

YOUNG MAN, about 20, good public school education, to start in cotton cloth brokerage concern; must write good hand and be generally active. K 909 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN wanted, as assistant in large ready-to-wear store; salary to start $20; write, stating age, qualifications, references, Williams, 141 Nevins Av., Jersey City, N. J.

YOUNG MAN, start as messenger with downtown bank and learn banking business; state age, nationality, religion, education, salary. R 818 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN to connect with mail order house; must have experience in obtaining field agents; give full particulars and salary expected. F 274 Times.

YOUNG MAN, experienced, thoroughly familiar with prices and discounts of plumbing supplies; state experience and salary expected. R 12 Times.

YOUNG MAN, experienced in men's and ladies' furnishings; must be able to trim windows. Write to B. Engelman, Waterbury, Conn.

YOUNG MAN, 18 to 19, as beginner in bank; experience not essential; state age and salary expected. R 823 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN to learn sign painting trade; must do typing; willing to start low. Y 2622 Times Annex.

WANTED, for the beginning of the year, for the Toronto weekly newspaper, a thoroughly competent, experienced man who can secure big contracts and represent a magazine of standing in "big way"; salary $50 per week with commissions; all replies confidential. Write full particulars first letter, with references, record and when able to start, to Y 2493 Times Annex.

### COLLEGE MEN.

Trade paper offers splendid opportunity for permanent connection; part time or all day. Call 12 A. M. or 5 P. M., 370 7th Av., Room 315. Subscription and advertising work on commission basis; other work on salary.

TOURISM—Clerk with tourist office experience and with knowledge of correspondence and typewriting wanted by steamship company. State past experience and salary desired. V 842 Times Downtown.

### ILLUSTRATED IDEAS

suitable for direct-mail advertising, artistic sense and advertising value essential. The Service System, 227 Market St., Newark, N. J.

GUEST RANCH, open year round, in Canada, wants a gentleman of refinement who can keep books, type and meet the public. S 886 Times.

EXPERIENCED bushelmen wanted. Apply Jacob Cohen, Son & Co., 740 Broadway.

### Salesmen.

BOND SALESMEN—Young men with energy and good personality wanted by old established investment house; previous experience not required; salary and bonus. V 843 Times Downtown.

### CITY SALESMEN.

We are entering New York City with a new product that has thousands of immediate prospects. If you are a high-class, successful salesman we want you; liberal commission. Tell us your age and what you have been selling. New York interviews will be arranged at once. Address in confidence, Colonial Sales Agency, 152 Temple St., New Haven, Conn.

DRESS AND SUIT SALESMAN, POSSESSING LONG EXPERIENCE FOR HIGH-CLASS HOUSE; ONE WHO DESIRES TO MAKE CONNECTION WITH PROGRESIVE HOUSE AND HAS ENTREE TO THE BEST ACCOUNTS IN THE COUNTRY; COMMISSION BASIS; EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO RIGHT PARTY. Y 2470 TIMES ANNEX.

GROCERY SPECIALTY SALESMAN, experienced selling to wholesale grocery trade; state application by letter; good salary, expense and commission. Blackstone Mfg. Co., 209 Johnson Av., Newark, N. J.

KNITTED OUTERWEAR SALESMEN, EXPERIENCED SWEATER MEN, WANTED—ONE OF THE LARGEST, BEST KNOWN MANUFACTURERS MAKING A HIGH GRADE PRODUCT, IS OPEN FOR GOOD MEN FOR ALL TERRITORIES; ONLY THOSE WHO HAVE HAD WIDE EXPERIENCE AND CAN SHOW PROPER RESULTS IN SELLING MEN'S AND WOMEN'S KNITTED OUTERWEAR NEED APPLY; COMMISSION BASIS; EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY; ALL COMMUNICATIONS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. BOX 129, HALL SERVICE, 19 EAST 40TH.

### SALESMEN.

You are cordially invited to call and inspect our proposition and mastery method for securing orders; greatest cooperation ever to salesmen; names, trade introductions that mean much; ambitious salesmen can average two hundred week up; the work is on an introductory sale of Office Source Records backed by militant organization of over a million members; we teach you the operation by actual demonstration; you are taken out and sales made before your eyes; should you prefer outside territory, we will advance expenses once you are familiar with proposition; commission basis. Call 10 to 12, 2 to 4.

L. EDWARD STEARNS, ROOM 2,021, HUDSON TERMINAL, 30 CHURCH ST.

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RADIO SALESMEN, thoroughly experienced, to sell fine line of horns. La Belle Radio Co., 123 Baxter St.

REAL ESTATE SALESMEN: five wires only; fine opportunity; commission. 5,997 Broadway, Winslow, Kingsbridge 8182.

### ROAD SALESMAN.

New York producer, established 1870, has opening for one road salesman.

Expense account to cover traveling against commissions weekly; distributing Prudex tonics; call 10 to 12 today only at Mr. Stover, 152 West 42d St., Suite 1222.

CHRISTIAN FIRM.

### SECURITY SALESMEN.

We want three good men to sell a small issue of $35,000 common, commission basis; (1) telephone man, Room 910, 136 Liberty St.

STATIONERY SALESMEN—We have an opening for a salesman familiar with the stationery and office equipment trade in Greater New York and the immediate vicinity; prefer a man who has had experience selling the office equipment trade or who has been connected with an office equipment dealer; state age, whether married or single, education and past experience; make application by mail only in own handwriting, outlining your business history; remuneration based on results; straight salary and commission; excellent opportunity for advancement; personal interviews will be arranged with those who qualify satisfactorily. Yawman & Erbe, 288 Broadway.

UMBRELLA SALESMAN—Man with established trade wanted for Indiana and Ohio by N. well-known manufacturer; commission and drawing account; great opportunity. S 878 Times.

SALES MANAGER—Unusual opportunity offered several experienced organizers as district managers on absolutely new copyrighted sales plan. We require high-grade man capable of building sales organizations quickly and accustomed to big earnings.

We are offering a cooperative service to motion picture theatre owners for sale of admission tickets under the P. D. G. Club plan. The company sells books containing 100 coupons good for admission at member theatres to public at $3. Twenty million movie fans ready to buy.

No time to see canvassers or agents. Want manager only preferably with book, trading stamp, stock or specialty experience. Permanent connection assuring very large income in commissions. Investigate.

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SALESMEN, young men, for traveling positions, selling optical goods; no experience necessary; will teach you; must have automobile; commission paid; advances for expenses; wonderful opportunity for ambitious young men; reference required. S. O., 195 Times.

SALESMAN, YARN—Large house has opening for first-class salesman, who knows the artificial and pure silk game; must have experience and following; wonderful opportunity for the right party; strictly confidential; salary and commission. R 15 Times.

SALESMEN accustomed to making money; we have several openings for aggressive specialty salesmen to travel and sell our advertising service to bankers and merchants; commission basis. Phone for appointment, Columbus 5457.

SALESMEN for large and medium-sized department stores of Greater New York; excellent opportunity for one knowing the buyers of laces, vellings, metal fabrics, scarfs, &c.; liberal salary and commission. Box 271, 228 West 42d.

SALESMEN—Have opening, three men, sell nationally advertised work clothes, Greater New York, Long Island, Pennsylvania; experience not necessary; liberal commissions. Call mornings, Garland Supply Company, 215 4th Av.

SALESMAN, experienced in wholesale general merchandise; must be active and have some trade; this is a very good opportunity for the right man; good reference required; salary or commission. R 816 Times Downtown.

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SALESMEN—Fine opportunity for few live salesmen to make big money selling new shoe to men; commission advanced daily. Room 207, 28 Flatbush Av., Brooklyn.

SALESMAN, clean cut and aggressive, to sell office specialty and stationery items; drawing account and commission; call after 9, 123 Nassau St., Room 1,121.

SALESMAN wanted by manufacturer's agent to sell files and tools in New York. Write stating experience, salary, &c., P. O. Box 1, City Hall Station.

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SALESMAN with following among builders and architects, to sell metallic flooring; liberal commissions; spare handle as side line. S 28 Times.

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New York State corporation distributing Government-compiled information has opening for men with sales record; liberal commission, expenses. 40 West 39th St. Mr. Runey.

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Direct salesmen of the better kind to entertain proposition selling a high grade and exclusive line of limited quantities; commission basis; our organization is one that is founded on sound business principles which incidentally affords the representative and client alike the closest and most efficient cooperation; an automobile an asset but not essential; Brooklyn, Long Island and Westchester territory open. Call or write, 2d floor, Hotel Mill Service, Corp., 30½ 5th Av., New York City. Telephone Lexington 8104.

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Box 27,
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SALES CORRE.: Dresses; $25.

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MAP CLERK: Fire ins. exp.; $20.

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## Steamships Arrived Yesterday

| Steamer. | From. | Date. | Steamer. | From. | Date. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ROSALIND | St. John's | Dec. 13 | ALERION STAR | Liverpool | Nov. 30 |
| ADRANIA | Liverpool | Dec. 9 | SAUGERTIES | Liverpool | Nov. 26 |
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| AMAZONE | Curacao | Dec. 8 | LA ILARRA | Hamburg | Nov. 28 |
| FLORA | Cape Haitien | Dec. 11 | CITY MONTGOMERY | Savannah | Dec. 14 |
| COMM. ROLLINS | Kingston | Dec. 11 | VIRGINIA LIMITED | Richmond | |
| WELLS CITY | Bristol | Nov. 30 | MEDINA | Galveston | Dec. 10 |
| W. A. LUCKENBACH | Boston | | SOUTH BAY MINSTREL | Tampico | Dec. 8 |
| GOLLAMER | Bordeaux | Nov. 29 | GASCONIER | Antwerp | Nov. 29 |

## Incoming Steamships

| Steamer and Line | Sailed From. | Due. | Will Dock. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *KING ALEXANDER, Greek | Patras, Nov. 29 | †Today, A.M., late | Atlantic Av. |
| *LITUANIA, Baltic-Amer. | Danzig, Dec. 3 | Today, A.M., early | 43d St., Bkln. |
| *AMERLAND, Red Star | Antwerp, Dec. 6 | Today, A.M. | W. 22d St. |
| *AM. BANKER, J. H. Winchester | London, Dec. 6 | †Today, A.M. | 34 St., Hbkn. |
| JAS. McGEE, R. L. Hague | San Pedro, Nov. 28 | Today | Bayonne. |
| KANDAHAR, Norton-Lilly | Calcutta, Oct. 30 | Today | Unassigned. |
| LAKE VICTORY, Pan. R. R. | Colon, Dec. 8 | †Today | W. 57th St. |
| PANAMA, Panama R. R. | Colon, Dec. 10 | †Today, A.M. | W. 25th St. |
| *SANTA MARTA, Un. Fruit | Santa Marta, Dec. 9 | †Today, A.M., early | Fletcher St. |
| WAUKEGAN, Cosmopolitan | Havre, Dec. 3 | Today | 4th St., Bkln. |
| *ATOPOS, Norton-Lilly | Seaham, Dec. 5 | Today | 50th St., Bkln |
| LAURA, Cosulich | Naples, Nov. 23 | †Today, A.M. | 41st St., Bkln |
| ARAGUAYA, R. H. St. Packet | Hamilton, Dec. 16 | †Today, A.M., late | Morton St. |
| *BURINAM, Colombian | Port au Prince, Nov. 28 | Today | Jay St., Bkln. |
| *VARDULIA, Cunard | London, Nov. 30 | †Tomorrow, A.M. | W. 44th St. |
| LALANDE, Lamport & Holt | Santos, Nov. 19 | †Tomorrow, A.M. | 16th St., Bkln |
| *COROZAL, N. Y. & P. R. | San Juan, Dec. 12 | †Tomorrow, A.M. | Hamilton Av. |
| CABO VILLANO, Spanish | Gibraltar, Nov. 21 | Tomorrow | Columbia St. |
| *LEVIATHAN, U. S. | Southampton, Dec. 14 | †Saturday, A.M. | W. 46th St. |
| *REPUBLIC, U. S. | Bremen, Dec. 9 | †Saturday, A.M. | 1st St., Hbkn. |
| WEST IRMO, Boll | Sierra Leone, Nov. 23 | Saturday | Congress St. |
| E. LUCKENBACH, Luckenbach | Tacoma, Nov. 17 | Saturday | 35th St., Bkln |
| *CAMERONIA, Anchor | Glasgow, Dec. 13 | Sunday | W. 14th St. |
| *OHIO, Royal Mail | Hamburg, Dec. 9 | Sunday | Morton St. |
| *COLUMBUS, Nor. Ger. Lloyd | Bremen, Dec. 13 | Sunday | 58th St., Bkln |
| *CALAMARES, Un. Fruit | Port Limon, Dec. 13 | †Sunday, P.M. | Fletcher St. |
| *CEDRIC, White Star | Liverpool, Dec. 13 | Monday | W. 16th St. |
| *MINNETONKA, Atl. Trans. | London, Dec. 13 | Monday | W. 19th St. |
| *OSCAR II., Scan.-Amer. | Copenhagen, Dec. 11 | Monday | 17th St., Hkn. |
| *AMERICA, U. S. | Cherbourg, eDc. 13 | Monday | 1st St., Hbkn. |
| *BOURDONNAIS, French | Bordeaux, Dec. 6 | Monday | W. 34th St. |
| *SAVOIE, French | Havre, Dec. 13 | Monday | W. 15th St. |
| *SOUTHERN CROSS, Munson | Buenos Aires, Dec. 4 | Monday | 4th St., Hbkn. |
| *VENEZUELA, Pac. Mail | San Francisco, Nov. 18 | Monday | Hamilton Av. |
| *VOLENDAM, Holland-Am. | Rotterdam, Nov. 18 | Monday | 6th St., Hbkn. |
| *SAN LORENZO, N. Y. & P. R. | San Juan, Dec. 18 | Monday | Hamilton Av. |
| SAN JUAN, N. Y. & P. R. | San Juan, Dec. 17 | Monday | Hamilton Av. |
| *ROOTENDIJK, Hol.-Amer. | Rotterdam, Dec. 14 | Monday | 5th St., Hbkn. |
| *ULVIA, Red Cross | St. John's, Dec. 17 | Monday | Java St. |
| *PORT VICTORIA, Furness | Hamilton, Dec. 20 | Monday | W. 55th St. |
| *BRIDGETOWN, Colombian | Savanilla, Dec. 12 | Monday | 2 Jay St. |
| ARCHIMEDES, I. M. M. | Manchester, Dec. 6 | Monday | W. 20th St. |
| *THURINGIA, Ham.-Amer. | Hamburg, Dec. 11 | Tuesday | W. 46th St. |
| *BERGENFJORD, Nor.-Amer. | Bergen, Dec. 13 | Tuesday | 50th St., Bkln |
| *OLYMPIC, White Star | Southampton, Dec. 17 | Tuesday, P.M. | W. 17th St. |
| *ESSEQUIBO, Pac. St. Nav. Co. | Valparaiso, Dec. 3 | Tuesday | Morton St. |
| *ZULIA, Red D. | La Guayra, Dec. 14 | Tuesday | 11 Furman St |
| *MINNEKAHDA, Atl. Trans. | Hamburg, Dec. 7 | Tuesday | W. 18th St. |
| *DUILIO, Ital.-Amer. | Genoa, Dec. 14 | Wednesday | W. 57th St. |

*Carries mail. †Reported by wireless yesterday.

## Outgoing Passenger and Mail Steamships

The following table shows the destination of steamers, when their mails close (at the General Post Office and the City Hall Station), when they sail, location of piers and points for which they carry mails:

### SAIL TODAY (Dec. 18)

RIVER DELAWARE, Alexandria (mails close 8:30 A. M.; sails 11:00 A. M.), West 21st St.
Gibraltar and Egypt (specially addressed correspondence only), via Gibraltar and Alexandria for Sinai, parcel-post mails for Gibraltar and Egypt.
WESTPHALIA, Hamburg (mails close 9:00 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), West 46th St.
Germany (specially addressed correspondence only), via Hamburg; also parcel-post mails for Germany, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary and Switzerland.
AMERICAN MERCHANT, London (mails close 12:00 M.; sails 4:00 P. M.), 3d St., Hoboken.
Great Britain (specially addressed).
MONTAUK, Antwerp (mails close 9:30 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), West 22d St.
Belgium and Luxemburg (specially addressed); also parcel-post mails for Belgium, Luxemburg and Belgian Congo.
ROSALIND, St. John's (mails close 9:30 A. M.; sails 11:00 A. M.), Java St., Brooklyn.
Newfoundland.
PORTO RICO, San Juan (mails close 8:30 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), Hamilton Av., Brooklyn.
Porto Rico and Virgin Islands.
MARY, Santo Domingo City (mails close 7:30 A. M.; sails 10:00 A. M.), Congress St., Brooklyn.
Dominican Republic.
PLUTO, Barahona (mails close 10:30 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), W. 35th St.
Turks Island (Dominican Republic specially addressed).
AIDAN, Cabedelle (mails close 11:00 A. M.; sails 2:00 P. M.), 33d St., Brooklyn.
North Brazil and Iquitos (other parts of Brazil specially addressed).

### SAIL TOMORROW (Dec. 19)

JEBBA, Accra (mails close 8:00 A. M.; sails 10:00 A. M.), Beard St., Brooklyn.
Madeira, Canary Islands and Senegal (other parts of West Africa must be specially addressed for dispatch by this steamer), via Funchal, Teneriffe, Las Palmas, Dakar, Bathurst, Freetown, Grand Bassam, Secondee and Accra; also parcel-post mails for Balearic Islands, Canary Islands, Ceuta, Melilla and Tangier in Morocco.
SAMA, Kingston (mails close 9:30 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), Baxter St.
Jamaica (Cuba specially addressed).
MUNARGO, Antilla (mails close 12:00 M.; sails 3:00 P. M.), Old Slip.
Bahamas, Fortune and Inagua Islands, City of Antilla (other parts of Cuba specially addressed).
MEROPE, Maracaibo (mails close 12:00 M.; sails 3:00 P. M.), Montague St., Brooklyn.
Venezuela and Curacao (specially addressed).
AIDAN, Cabedelle (mails close 9:00 P. M.)
North Brazil and Iquitos (other parts of Brazil specially addressed); by rail to Norfolk, Va.

### SAIL SATURDAY (Dec. 20)

BURGERDIJK, Rotterdam (mails close 8:00 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), 5th St., Hoboken.
Netherlands (parcel-post mails and specially addressed).
AURANIA, Liverpool (mails close 8:00 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), West 13th St.
Irish Free State (Great Britain specially addressed); also parcel-post mails for Irish Free State.
BLAIR, Naples (mails close 9:00 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), Milton St., Brooklyn.
Italy (parcel-post mails and specially addressed).
HESPERIA, Cape Town (mails close 9:30 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), Beard St., Brooklyn.
South Africa (specially addressed); also parcel-post mails for Union of South Africa, Bechuanaland Protectorate, Portuguese East Africa, Northern and Southern Rhodesia and Southwest Africa Protectorate.
BREMEN, Bremen (mails close 11:00 A. M.; sails 3:00 P. M.), 6th St., Hoboken.
Europe, Africa and West Asia; also parcel-post mails for Great Britain, France, Germany, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Switzerland and the countries mentioned in Notes "A" and "B" below.
DORIC, Liverpool (no mails; sails 12:00 M.), West 19th St.
ACONCAGUA, Valparaiso (mails close 7:30 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), Harrison St., Brooklyn.
Canal Zone, Panama, Amapala City, Choluteca (also prints, &c., for Nacaome, Tegucigalpa and Yuscaran) in Honduras, Cauca and Narino Departments of Colombia, Ecuador, Peru (except Iquitos, Paita, Talara and Trujillo), Bolivia and Chile (other parts of Honduras specially addressed).
FORT ST. GEORGE, Hamilton (mails close 8:00 A. M.; sails 11:00 A. M.), West 55th St.
Bermuda, St. Kitts, Nevis, Antigua, Montserrat, Dominica, St. Lucia and Barbados; also parcel-post mails for Bermuda.
ORIZARA, Havana (mails close 8:00 A. M.; sails 11:00 A. M.), Wall St.
Cuba (specially addressed).
BARACOA, Cartagena (mails close 8:30 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), 2, Jay St., Brooklyn.
Haiti and Colombia, except Cartagena, Cauca, Narino and Magdalena Departments (Jamaica and other parts Colombia specially addressed).
ARAGUAYA, Hamilton (mails close 8:30 A. M.; sails 11:00 A. M.), Morton St.
Bermuda (specially addressed).
COROZAL, San Juan (mails close 8:30 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), Hamilton Av., Brooklyn.
Porto Rico, St. Thomas, St. Croix, Saba, St. Martins and St. Eustatius (ordinary mail only); also prints, &c., for La Romana, San Pedro de Macoris and Santo Domingo City.
TOLOA, Port Limon (mails close 9:00 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), Rector St.
Costa Rica (Canal Zone, Panama specially addressed).
LASSELL, Buenos Aires (mails close 8:30 A. M.; sails 11:00 A. M.), 16th St., Hoboken.
Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay (specially addressed).
CHICKASAW CITY, Buenos Aires (mails close 9:30 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), 20th St., Brooklyn.
Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay (specially addressed).
IROQUOIS, Barahona (mails close 9:30 A. M.; sails 12:00 M.), Hamilton Av., Brooklyn.
Turks Island and Dominican Republic.
WESTERN WORLD, Buenos Aires (mails close 10:30 A. M.; sails 1:00 P. M.), 4th St., Hoboken.
YUMURI, Nassau (mails close 8:00 A. M.; sails 10:00 A. M.), Congress St., Brooklyn.
Bahamas (including Inagua and Fortune Islands).
Brazil, Iquitos, Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay.

NOTE A—Parcel-post mails via England: To Aden (including Kamaran and Perim), Afghanistan (Kabul), Albania (certain places), Ascension, Belgian Congo (Katanga and Eastern Provinces and the territories of Ruanda and Iturl), British Central Africa (Nyassaland Protectorate), British India, British Somaliland, Cameroons (British and French zone), Ceylon, Cyprus, Falkland Islands, French India (specially addressed), Gambia, Gold Coast Colony, Ireland (North), Kenya and Uganda, Macao (China), Madeira, Malta, Mauritius (including Rodrigues), Mesopotamia (Iraq) including Kuwait, Morocco (British), Lacadive and Peuban only), Nigeria, Nyassaland Protectorate, Palestine, Pemba, Persia, Portuguese India, Portuguese Timor, Portuguese West Africa, Tibet, Togoland (British), Trans-Jordania (territory east of Jordan River), Turkey in Europe and Turkey in Asia (certain places) and Zanzibar.

NOTE B—Parcel-post mails via France: To Abyssinia (Ethiopia), Algeria, Cameroons, Corsica, Dahomey, French Equatorial Africa, French Guiana, French establishments in India, French Indochina (specially addressed), Annam, Cambodia, Cochin China, Laos and Tonkin, French Post Offices in China, French Somaliland, French Sudan, Gabou, Grand Liban (Lebanon), Ivory Coast, Madagascar and dependencies (Madagascar, Sts. Marie de Madagascar, Nossibe, Comore, Islands, Mayotte, Great Comoro, Anjouan and Mohell), Mauretania, Monaco, Morocco (French), New Caledonia and dependencies, Niger Territory, Reunion, Sarre Territories, Senegal (Upper Senegal and Upper Volta), Togoland (French), Syria (Beirut, Damascus, Aleppo and the Western and Eastern Zone), Tunis.

## Other Outgoing Steamships

| Steamer. | Destination. | Date. | Steamer. | Destination. | Date. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ANNETTA | Santiago | Dec. 18 | MATURA | Trinidad | Dec. 22 |
| CAMAGUEY | Tampico | Dec. 18 | METTE JENSEN | Rosario | Dec. 23 |
| GLENDOYLE | Santiago | Dec. 18 | SAVOIA | Marseilles | Dec. 23 |
| SARMATIA | Santiago | Dec. 18 | WELLS CITY | Bristol | Dec. 22 |
| CALLABASSAS | Nuevitas | Dec. 19 | AMER. BANKER | London | Dec. 24 |
| DANIA | Copenhagen | Dec. 19 | ARGOSY | Copenhagen | Dec. 24 |
| CAROLINA | Gothenburg | Dec. 20 | CARACAS | La Guayra | Dec. 24 |
| CIRCINUS | Los Angeles | Dec. 20 | PIPIRIG | Adelaide | Dec. 24 |
| DROMORE | Belfast | Dec. 20 | MUNAMAR | Cardenas | Dec. 24 |
| CLARE | San Juan | Dec. 20 | SANTA MARTA | Kingston | Dec. 24 |
| HERITOR | Marseilles | Dec. 20 | STORM KING | Santos | Dec. 24 |
| INNOKO | Rotterdam | Dec. 20 | W. D. MUNSON | Nuevitas | Dec. 24 |
| KASENGA | Yokohama | Dec. 20 | CABO VILLANO | Leghorn | Dec. 24 |
| MAN. PRINCE | Santos | Dec. 20 | CORSON | Piraeus | Dec. 24 |
| MEXICAN | Los Angeles | Dec. 20 | KARONGA | Melbourne | Dec. 24 |
| NOVIAN | London | Dec. 20 | PERSEUS | Melbourne | Dec. 24 |
| PERSEUS | Singapore | Dec. 20 | SILVERELM | Yokohama | Dec. 24 |
| VARDULIA | London | Dec. 20 | TALTHYBIUS | Cebu | Dec. 25 |
| VINCENT | Havre | Dec. 20 | JALAPA | Calcutta | Dec. 26 |
| VINITA | Los Angeles | Dec. 20 | BIRMINGHAM CITY | Calcutta | Dec. 26 |
| WEST COBALT | Manchester | Dec. 20 | SANTA LUISA | Valparaiso | Dec. 26 |
| WRAY CASTLE | Yokohama | Dec. 20 | VENEZUELA | San Francisco | Dec. 26 |
| CUTHBERT | Victoria | Dec. 20 | AMAZONE | Fort au Prince | Dec. 26 |
| SANTA VERONICA | Havana | Dec. 20 | CANANCVA | Antilla | Dec. 26 |
| FLORA | Haiti | Dec. 22 | MANCHIONEAL | Jamaica | Dec. 26 |
| LEIGHTON | Santos | Dec. 23 | | | |

## Foreign Ports—Arrivals and Departures

### ARRIVED.

| Steamer. | At. | Date. |
|---|---|---|
| PARIS | Havre | Dec. 17 |
| MONTEREY | Havana | Dec. 16 |
| SIDNEY | Havana | Dec. 16 |
| BELLEROPHON | Colon | Dec. 16 |
| STOCKHOLM | Gothenburg | Dec. 13 |
| WOODROW WILSON | Trieste | Dec. 16 |
| CASTORIA | Colon | Dec. 16 |
| ALCO | Nordkoping | Dec. 11 |
| MALAKAND | Adelaide | Dec. 13 |
| IDAHO | Antwerp | Dec. 14 |
| SAYER ORONTES | Piraeus | Dec. 14 |
| MARENGO | Hull | Dec. 16 |
| McKEESPORT | Havre | Dec. 5 |
| CONTE VERDE | Genoa | Dec. 17 |
| MOUNT CLAY | Hamburg | Dec. 17 |

### SAILED.

| Steamer. | From. | Date. |
|---|---|---|
| OLYMPIC | Southampton | Dec. 17 |
| DUNDRUM CASTLE | St. Vincent | Dec. 16 |
| BOURDONNAIS | Vigo | Dec. 16 |
| MINNETONKA | Cherbourg | Dec. 14 |
| MINNEKAHDA | Antwerp | Dec. 13 |
| AGWIPOND | Colon | Dec. 16 |
| LANCASTER | Colon | Dec. 16 |
| BANKDALE | Marseilles | Dec. 13 |
| PIP'STONE COUNTY | Havre | Dec. 14 |
| QUAKER CITY | Hull | Dec. 14 |

### PASSED.

ARDENHALL, New York for Marseilles, passed Gibraltar Dec. 17.
CITY OF CHESTER, New York for Hongkong, passed Gibraltar Dec. 17.
MOUNT BERNARD, New York for Genoa, passed Gibraltar Dec. 17.

## Transpacific Mails Due at New York

Postmaster Morgan announces that mails of the following dates: Melbourne, Nov. 25; Sydney, Nov. 26; Honolulu, Dec. 9, which arrived at San Francisco per steamer VENTURA, have been forwarded east on Dec. 15, and are due in New York on the morning of Saturday, Dec. 20.

# SHIPPING AND MAILS

## Transcontinental Air Mail

The transcontinental air mail service is operated in both directions daily, leaving Hazlehurst Field (New York) at 10 A. M., Eastern Standard Time, and San Francisco at 6:20 A. M., Pacific Time. The planes carry mail for intermediate points as well as those beyond, Chicago, Omaha, Salt Lake City, &c. Mail for points not on the air route is forwarded by mail trains from the nearest air mail stations.

The New York daily closing time for this mail is 8 A. M., Eastern Standard Time, from the General Post Office, and 11 P. M. the previous night, or a little later, at the air mail letter boxes painted red, white and blue, which are located in various parts of the city. The closing time at the box in Times Square is 11:35 P. M.

Tuesday's transcontinental air mail from San Francisco will arrive at New Brunswick, N. J., this afternoon, late.

*Special to The New York Times.*

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Tuesday's transcontinental air mail from New York was reported held at Cheyenne, Wyo., due to storm conditions.

Wednesday's transcontinental air mail running from San Francisco to New York left here today at 11:01 A. M. for Reno having been detained due to storm conditions in the Sierras.

## Transpacific Mails

The connecting mails close at the General Post Office and City Hall Post Office Station, New York, at 5:00 P. M. daily, as follows:

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| Japan, Korea and China (specially addressed correspondence only), via Seattle | YOKIWA MARU Dec 18 |
| Hawaii, via San Francisco | MATSONIA Dec 18 |
| Japan, Korea and Siberia; also parcel-post mails for Japan and Korea, via Seattle | TALTHYBIUS Dec. 19 |
| Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, Siam, Siberia, French Indo-China, Netherlands East Indies, Straits Settlements, Brunei, Malay States, North Borneo, Sarawak and Philippine Islands; also parcel-post mails for Japan, Korea, China, Siam, French Indochina, Brunei, Labuan, Malay States, North Borneo, Sarawak and Straits Settlements, via San Francisco | PRES. LINCOLN Dec. 22 |
| Australia (specially addressed correspondence only), via Panama Canal and Sydney. Mails close at 1:30 P. M., from New York | MAIHAR Dec. 24 |
| Netherlands East Indies (especially addressed correspondence only); also parcel-post mails for Netherlands East Indies, via San Francisco | ROBERT DOLLAR Dec. 24 |
| Hawaii, Samoan Islands, Australia, and specially addressed correspondence for New Zealand; also parcel-post mails for Samoan Islands and Australia (Guam, Philippine Islands and parcel-post mails for Fiji Islands to be disembarked at Honolulu), via San Francisco | VENTURA Dec. 25 |
| Guam and Philippine Islands, via San Francisco | U.S.A. T. THOMAS Dec. 25 |
| Tahiti, Society Islands, Marquesas, Cook Islands, New Zealand and Australia; also parcel-post mails for Society Islands, Cook Islands, New Zealand and Australia, via San Francisco | TAHITI Dec. 26 |
| Netherlands East Indies (especially addressed correspondence only); also parcel-post mails for Netherlands East Indies. Mails close at 7:30 A. M., from New York | MADROEN Jan. 3 |

### BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of JACK DAVIS trading as J. DAVIS & CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York, in bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at premises 110 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of children's shoes, desks, typewriters, sectional bookcase, fixtures, &c.

CHARLES J. CONNER, Receiver.

C. EDWARD BENOIT, Attorney for Receiver, 297 Fourth Av., New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of P. & C. SHOE CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 110 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of children's shoes, desks, typewriters, sectional bookcase, fixtures, &c.

C. EDWARD BENOIT, Attorney for Receiver, 297 Fourth Av., New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of SAM MANDEL, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1924, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 70 Division St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt consisting of coats, suits, fixtures, &c.

HAROLD GOLDMAN, Receiver.

B. M. BLUMENTHAL, Attorney for Receiver, 51 Chambers St., New York.

Inspection, Dec. 20 and 22.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of SELECT PAPER CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1924, by order of the Court, at 2 P. M., at 219 East 23d St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt consisting of paper, twine, office furniture, scale, typewriter, fixtures, &c.

ALBERT S. NEWMAN, Receiver.

WILBER, NORMAN & KAHN, Attorneys for Receiver, 299 Broadway, New York.

Inspection Dec. 20 and 22.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of FERRIS EXCHANGE AGENCY, Inc., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Dec. 18th, 1924, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at premises of Trustee, 663 Broadway, 10th floor, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt consisting of automobile and army goods, &c.

HAROLD I. GILBERBERG, Trustee.

PETER B. OLNEY Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy, 2 Rector St.

DAVID L. SHAPIRO, Attorney for Trustee, 311 Madison Ave., New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of SAMUEL GOLDSTEIN, trading as STAR TROUSER CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 605 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of men's clothing, coats, overcoats, suits, piece goods, machinery, fixtures, &c. Also the receiver's right, title and interest in and to the unexpired term of the lease of the said premises.

WILLIAM HENKEL, Receiver.

SHAINE & WEINRIB, Attorneys for Receiver, 299 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of RICHARD HICKSON, INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1924, by order of the Court, at 2 P. M., at 15 East 57th St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt consisting of ladies' dresses, coats, suits, wraps, machinery, show room, store and office furniture, fixtures, &c.

ARTHUR LEWIS, Receiver.

JOSEPH DANNENBERG, Attorney for Receiver, 2 Rector St., New York.

Inspection Dec. 22 and 23.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of CHARLES WOLF and LOUIS MOSKOWITZ, individually and as co-partners trading as WOLF & MOSKOWITZ, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, by order of the Court, at 2 P. M., at 36 West 20th St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of men's fur coats, collars and cuffs, machinery, office furniture, fixtures, &c.

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Receiver.

C. EDWARD BENOIT, Attorney for Receiver, 297 Fourth Av., New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of P. & C. SHOE CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 110 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of children's shoes, desks, typewriters, sectional bookcase, fixtures, &c.

C. EDWARD BENOIT, Attorney for Receiver, 297 Fourth Av., New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of SELECT PAPER CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1924, by order of the Court, at 2 P. M., at 219 East 23d St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt consisting of paper, twine, office furniture, scale, typewriter, fixtures, &c.

ALBERT S. NEWMAN, Receiver.

WILBER, NORMAN & KAHN, Attorneys for Receiver, 299 Broadway, New York.

Inspection Dec. 20 and 22.

### SUMMONSES.

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF New York.—OSWALD GROENINGS, Plaintiff, against MARY GROENINGS, Defendant.—Plaintiff designates New York County as the place of trial.—Summons.

To the above-named defendant:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not served with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by reason of the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated: October 6, 1924.

CHADBOURNE, HUNT, JAECKEL & BROWN, Attorneys for Plaintiff. Office and Post Office address, 165 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

To Mary Groenings:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of Hon. Edward J. Severin, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 8th day of November, 1924, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York.

Dated, New York, November 12, 1924.

CHADBOURNE, HUNT, JAECKEL & BROWN, Attorneys for Plaintiff. Office and Post Office address, 165 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

COUNTY COURT, WESTCHESTER County.—Larchmont Gardens Company, Plaintiff, against Andrew J. Callaghan, Defendant.—Summons.—To the above named defendant: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not served with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance, on Plaintiff's Attorneys within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. Now, if you fail to so appear, or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated, New York, October 20, 1924.

HARRIS & TOWNE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff, Office and Post Office Address, No. 258 Broadway, New York City.

TO ANDREW J. CALLAGHAN:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Mr. Justice William J. Beasley, dated the 5th day of December, 1924, and filed with the complaint, in the office of the Clerk of the County Court, at the County Court House, in the City of White Plains, State of New York.

Dated, the 8th day of December, 1924.

HARRIS & TOWNE,
Attorneys for the Plaintiff, Office and Post Office Address, No. 258 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.


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Next Sailings
OHIO ..... Dec. 31
ORDUNA ..... Jan. 28
OHIO ..... Feb. 17
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The Royal Mail Steam Packet Co.
Sanderson & Son, Inc., Agents
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### Sir Bertram Receives Gift From Pilots in the Majestic's Wheelhouse.

### RECEPTION FOR OFFICIALS

### Senior Master of the White Star Line Tells What He Has Put In a Book.

Sir Bertram Hayes, D. S. O., Commodore in the Royal Naval Reserve, and retiring senior master of the White Star line, stood on the bridge of the Majestic yesterday forenoon in command of the ship for the last time leaving New York harbor. For two hours previously he had been receiving officials of the International Mercantile Marine Company, beginning with the President, P. A. S. Franklin, and Vice President Frederick Topping.

Three gray-haired members of the New York and New Jersey Pilots' Association presented to him in the wheelhouse a handsome silver-headed ebony cane as a token of their appreciation of his courtesy during his quarter of a century in command of White Star steamships in the New York trade. The Commodore's table was heaped with telegrams and letters from friends and old travelers from all parts of the country, wishing him good luck and long years to enjoy his well-earned rest.

The officers of the Majestic presented a traveling trunk of the latest style to him to take on his future trip around the world.

Sir Bertram was visibly affected as he shook hands with the long line of friends and members of the staff in the alleyway outside the door of his suite just aft the bridge.

"I am leaving the sea," he said, "but you will see me again as I am going to remain with the White Star Line in an advisory capacity. Visiting various ports and investigating trade conditions for new routes will be a part of my new duties, so that while I may be retiring I'm still to be heard from."

The veteran shipmaster said that navigation was much simpler and much safer than when he first entered the North Atlantic trade. Then the navigator had to steer by dead reckoning in thick weather and use his lead to get soundings after which he had to beat about in the fog until he could hear a bell or a fog horn. Today the master of a steamship gets a cross-bearing by radio, which gives the position of his vessel and enables him to creep along safely and get one station after another until he makes the entrance to New York harbor.

Sir Bertram said that in his book, which is to be published early in 1925, he had dwelt on the superiority of the radio service given to ship masters along the coast of North America, compared with that from the stations in Great Britain, and had also criticized the transport methods of the British Navy during the recent World War.

Captain George R. Metcalfe, R. N. R., who will take over command of the Majestic in Southampton, stood on the bridge with the retiring Commodore as the ship moved out into the river. Sir Betram was 60 years old last April.

The Majestic is due to reach Cherbourg early on Dec. 23 and Southampton in the afternoon so that her passengers will be in ample time to spend their Christmas ashore.

## McOY PROSECUTION FAILS TO CALL MORS

### State Rests Murder Case After Police Testimony Regarding Confession Upon Arrest.

*Special to The New York Times.*

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 17.—Most of the morning session of the trial of "Kid" McCoy for the murder of Mrs. Theresa Mors was occupied with police officers on the stand swearing to the confession made by McCoy when he was taken to the city jail, shambling, bleary eyed, on Aug. 23.

In that confession McCoy mumbled "that he did not shoot Mrs. Mors dead, she shot herself," according to Detective Lieutenant Jarvis.

F. A. Andreani, Mr. Mors's attorney in the various actions brought by his wife, testified that Mrs. Mors's estate, which passed into her former husband's hands on her death, was valued at more than $110,000.

The State surprised the defense early in the afternoon when Deputy District Attorney Charles H. Fricke rested its case without calling Mors to the stand. For days Mors's appearance had been heralded as an axe for the prosecution, and the divorced husband of the dead woman was on hand, tiptoeing back and forth from the rows of witnesses to the trio of prosecutors.

Two letters from Mr. Mors regarding McCoy created a two-hour furore in the Judge's chambers. The letters were written to Roy Davis, a Los Angeles banker, threatening the life of McCoy if the latter did not stay away from Mrs. Mors, terming McCoy a "moral leper," and entreating the banker to buy McCoy to stay away from "my wife, whom I have known for seventeen years as a curious mixture of saint and sinner."

The letters are on record for reference in the case, although the prosecution and defense counsel were unable to agree on their admission as evidence before the jury.

### Wins Hotel Men's Contest.

Harry S. Bond, proprietor of the Hotel Bond in Hartford, Conn., was announced yesterday as the winner of the hotel men's popularity contest which has been conducted since Oct. 1 by the National Hotel Review. Tomorrow Mr. Bond will receive a Rolls-Royce sedan at a presentation which will be attended by hotel men here. Among the entrants in the contest were many of America's leading hotel proprietors and restaurateurs. The rules provided for a ballot by men identified with the hotel industry only. Oscar Tschirky of the Waldorf-Astoria, ran second.

## DINNER TO SHERIFF-ELECT.

### Hylan Among the 1,000 Persons Who Gather to Honor Hubbard.

Sheriff-elect H. Warren Hubbard was the guest of honor at a testimonial dinner given last night in the grand ballroom at the Waldorf-Astoria and attended by more than 1,000 of his personal and political friends.

Ex-Mayor George B. McClellan, who acted as toastmaster, introduced Mayor Hylan, who praised Mr. Hubbard's services to the city as Deputy Commissioner of Markets under his Administration.

Former Assistant District Attorney Alexander I. Rorke, recalling that Mr. Hubbard was a Tammany district leader, said the old belief that a district leader, either on account of his position as an active politician or for other reasons, could not hold office had been shattered by Charles F. Murphy, the late leader of Tammany Hall, during the many years he was in power. He added that but for the Tammany organization such men as ex-Mayor McClellan, Governor Smith, United States Senator Copeland and Mayor Hylan might never have been heard of in public life.

Four ex-Sheriffs, Controller Craig and some of his deputies, a number of Supreme Court Justices and Judges of other courts and Tammany Leader George W. Olvany attended the dinner.

## GOVERNOR ORDERS INQUIRY.

### Names Architect Jones to Investigate Withdrawal of Arsenal Bid.

ALBANY, Dec. 17.—Governor Smith today appointed Sullivan W. Jones, State Architect, a Commissioner under the Moreland act, to investigate circumstances surrounding the act of the Commonwealth Engineering Company of New York City in seeking to withdraw its bid on construction of the new State Arsenal in South Brooklyn.

The appointment was made at a meeting of the State Arsenal Commission called to act upon bids received Dec. 10. Mr. Jones said the Commonwealth Company had submitted the lowest bid, but since had requested its withdrawal and the return of its certified check for $45,000 because of a serious mistake in the bid.

Mr. Jones said the case was the third of its kind in three weeks and it was believed some action should be taken to remove the impression that low bidders may with ease withdraw their bids and obtain release from obligations assumed. The investigation will be started immediately in the New York City office of the State Department of Architecture.

## BAN PUT ON OYSTERS FROM NEAR-BY WATERS

### Monaghan Issues Order Pending Report on Survey—Warns Against Uncooked Shellfish.

Dr. Frank J. Monaghan, Health Commissioner, issued a ban yesterday against oysters and shellfish gathered from lower New York Bay, Princes Bay off Staten Island, Raritan Bay and Sandy Hook Bay near the entrance to the Shrewsbury River in New Jersey and other beds and fishing areas contiguous to the city. The commissioner explained that this was a precautionary measure against the possibility that typhoid germs were being brought here.

"We have been making a sanitary survey of the waters of the localities affected by the Health Department's order, and in anticipation of a report we decided to exclude the shellfish from these localities. I would advise the people to abstain from eating uncooked oysters, clams or mussels. Inspectors of the Health Department will begin an investigation tomorrow to learn whether this order is being obeyed by dealers in such foodstuffs."

Commissioner Monaghan said that there had been no unusual increase in the number of typhoid cases reported during the day.

#### Jersey Denies Any Infection.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 17.—Advice given by the Health Office of New York City that the public should refrain from eating uncooked shellfish because of the prevalence of typhoid fever in that city, prompted the State Board of Health to announce today that under the precautions taken to protect the oyster industry in this State there is no danger from infection from that source.

### Move Huge Vienna Bridge 20 Yards.

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VIENNA, Dec. 17.—The moving of the Brigitta Bridge over the Danube Canal in Vienna is considered an important piece of engineering work. The whole bridge, which weighs 700,000 kilograms, was lifted about a foot and a half from and moved on street trucks about twenty yards by twelve workmen in two hours. Engineer Musil, just back from America, is responsible for this work. A new bridge is being built, but in the meantime it was found the old bridge could not be dispensed with.

## POLICEMAN PUT IN CELL.

### Stripped of Shield and Suspended on Complaint of Woman.

Bernard J. Carney, 24, of 50 Hyatt Avenue, Winfield, L. I., a patrolman attached to the East Sixty-seventh Street Station was arrested last night charged with attempted felonious assault. Mrs. Mary Frainey of 130 West Eighty-third Street was the complainant.

At the West Sixty-eighth Street Station, where Carney, stripped of his shield and service revolver, was put in a cell for the night, Mrs. Frainey said that he twice had come to her home yesterday and forced his way in for the purpose of paying unwelcome attentions to a young woman there.

The first time, Mrs. Frainey said, was just after 9 A. M. When she advised him that the young woman did not want to see him, Mrs. Frainey said, Carney pushed her aside and went into the apartment. Then the patrolman and the young woman went for a walk. Half an hour later she returned alone.

About 9:30 P. M., Mrs. Frainey said, Carney returned and demanded that he be permitted to see the young woman. When advised that she was no longer there, Carney, it was alleged, again forced his way into the apartment and began to abuse Mrs. Frainey.

Her son, George Frainey of 229 South Eleventh Street, Newark, who was visiting her, remonstrated with Carney, whereupon, it was alleged, he drew his revolver and informed Frainey that if he didn't get out of the apartment at once he would shoot him. Frainey called Police Headquarters.

Dr. Henry Weinstein of 604 West 162d Street, a police surgeon, was called to examine Carney. He said that Carney had apparently been drinking, but was not intoxicated. Carney was temporarily suspended.

## GRENFELL MISSION SALE.

### Labrador Products to Be Disposed Of at Vassar Club Here.

For the benefit of Dr. Grenfell's Medical Mission a sale of Labrador products from the industrial department of the International Grenfell Association will be held tomorrow afternoon and evening and Saturday morning and afternoon at the Vassar Club, Allerton House, 152 East Fifty-seventh Street.

Hooked mats, rugs, toys, hand-sewn articles, basketry and other articles will be sold. All were produced by the people of North Newfoundland and of the Labrador coast under the auspices of the International Grenfell Association. Dr. Henry van Dyke, Goodhue Livingston Jr., Stephen Baker, Allen Wardwell and Dr. Hugh Auchincloss are among the New York directors in the Grenfell association.

## BINGHAM WON BY 40,524.

### Revised Returns Give Him 112,273 to Holt's 71,749 for Senator.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 17.—Revision today of the returns from yesterday's special election shows that Colonel Hiram Bingham, Republican, who is also Lieutenant Governor and Governor-elect, received a plurality of 40,524 votes over Hamilton Holt, former editor and publicist, Democratic nominee, for United States Senator to succeed the late Frank B. Brandegee.

The total vote for the 169 cities and towns was: Bingham 112,273 and Holt 71,749.

Senator-elect Bingham remained at his home today at work on his inaugural address to be delivered in January when he is to be inducted into office as Governor. He received many congratulatory messages.


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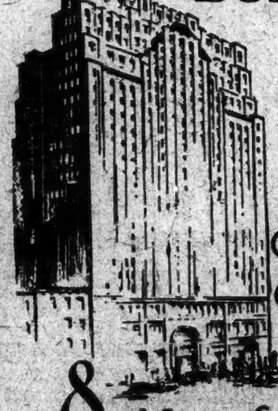

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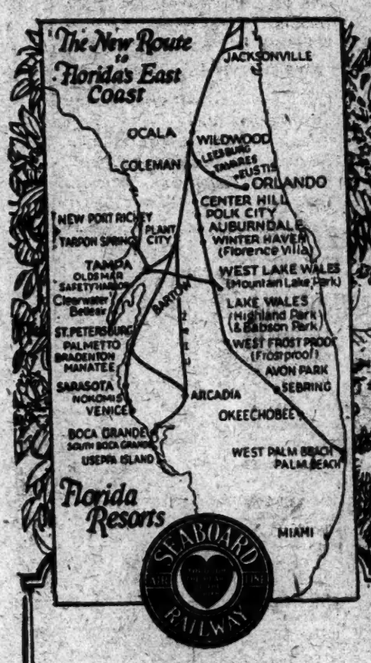


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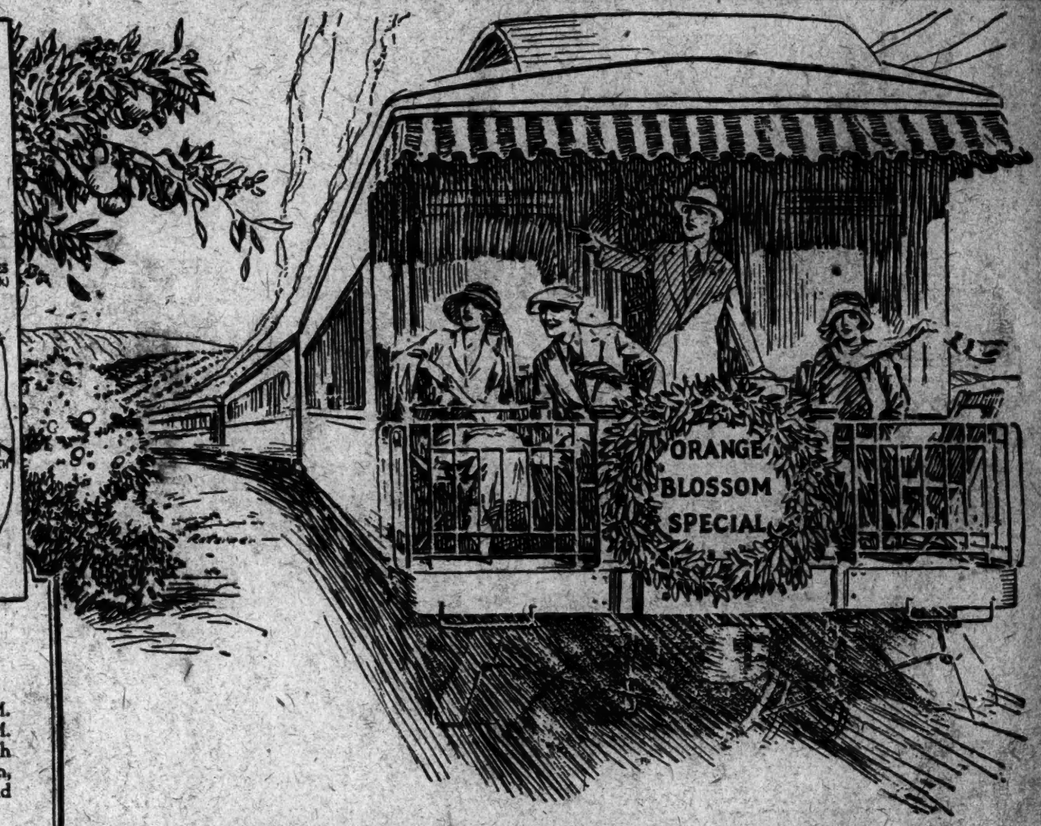


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On January 24, 1925, the Seaboard Air Line Railway (over its own rails South of Richmond) without interchange, opens new 'Cross-Florida short line from Northern and Western cities to West Palm Beach (Palm Beach); and on January 27th establishes Coast to Coast day and night service between St. Petersburg, Tampa, Sarasota—West Palm Beach and intermediate points, shortening the time by many hours across Florida, from Coast to Coast. Through sleeping, dining, and observation cars. Optional and diverse route fares, including Florida's East and West Coast resorts.

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